

**Tustin Unified School District
Substitute Orientation Checklist**



Name

Date Hired

Please do not print these forms double sided

Payroll Paperwork (All must be completed and signed)

- ____ 1. W-4 form (Federal Income Taxes)
- ____ 2. DE-4 form (State Income Taxes)
- ____ 3. STRS – Election and Beneficiary forms (must select **STRS** or **PARS**)
- ____ 4. PARS – Election and Beneficiary forms (must select **PARS** or **STRS**)
- ____ 5. Social Security Form SSA-1945 (position not covered by Social Security)
- ____ 6. Direct Deposit form (optional)
- ____ 7. Copy of Driver's License and Social Security Card (Please also bring original cards with you)

Employment Paperwork (All must be completed and signed)

- ____ 1. Reasonable Assurance
- ____ 2. I-9
- ____ 3. Emergency form
- ____ 4. Ethnic Identification form (optional)
- ____ 5. Oath
- ____ 6. Sexual Harassment
- ____ 7. Child Abuse Reporting
- ____ 8. Designation of Beneficiary - Paycheck
- ____ 9. Worker's Compensation Physician Pre-designation Form – **Optional**
- ____ 10. Mandatory Trainings – Complete trainings and bring certificates of completion to orientation for:

Mandated Reporter Training, Sexual Harassment Training, Suicide Prevention, Covid-19 Proper Handwashing. There is not a certificate available for Annual Notices, but you need to complete.

- ____ 11. Copy of Driver's License and Social Security Card

Materials for information only (please keep):

- New Hire Pamphlets (worker's compensation)
- Health Insurance Exchange Notice
- EIS (paystub instructions)

Complete Application

- ____ 1. Edjoin online application
- ____ 2. Current Resume
- ____ 3. Three letters of recommendation (including signatures)
- ____ 4. Copy of CBEST or Basic Skills equivalent
- ____ 5. Copies of all college transcripts (must be copies of official transcripts)
- ____ 6. Fingerprint clearance (clearinghouse only)
- ____ 7. Copy of California teaching credential(s) – must include document number
- ____ 8. Current TB clearance (cannot be older than 60 days)
- ____ 9. Copy of Covid vaccination card if vaccinated

Important Note:

All paperwork named above must be completed, signed and in the order listed when presented for review.

Employee's Withholding Certificate

▶ **Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay.**
 ▶ **Give Form W-4 to your employer.**
 ▶ **Your withholding is subject to review by the IRS.**

2022

Step 1: Enter Personal Information	(a) First name and middle initial	Last name	(b) Social security number
	Address		▶ Does your name match the name on your social security card? If not, to ensure you get credit for your earnings, contact SSA at 800-772-1213 or go to www.ssa.gov .
	City or town, state, and ZIP code		
	(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Single or Married filing separately <input type="checkbox"/> Married filing jointly or Qualifying widow(er) <input type="checkbox"/> Head of household (Check only if you're unmarried and pay more than half the costs of keeping up a home for yourself and a qualifying individual.)		

Complete Steps 2-4 ONLY if they apply to you; otherwise, skip to Step 5. See page 2 for more information on each step, who can claim exemption from withholding, when to use the estimator at www.irs.gov/W4App, and privacy.

Step 2: Complete this step if you (1) hold more than one job at a time, or (2) are married filing jointly and your spouse also works. The correct amount of withholding depends on income earned from all of these jobs.

Multiple Jobs or Spouse Works Do **only one** of the following.

(a) Use the estimator at www.irs.gov/W4App for most accurate withholding for this step (and Steps 3-4); or

(b) Use the Multiple Jobs Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result in Step 4(c) below for roughly accurate withholding; or

(c) If there are only two jobs total, you may check this box. Do the same on Form W-4 for the other job. This option is accurate for jobs with similar pay; otherwise, more tax than necessary may be withheld . . . ▶

TIP: To be accurate, submit a 2022 Form W-4 for all other jobs. If you (or your spouse) have self-employment income, including as an independent contractor, use the estimator.

Complete Steps 3-4(b) on Form W-4 for only ONE of these jobs. Leave those steps blank for the other jobs. (Your withholding will be most accurate if you complete Steps 3-4(b) on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job.)

Step 3: Claim Dependents	If your total income will be \$200,000 or less (\$400,000 or less if married filing jointly):		
	Multiply the number of qualifying children under age 17 by \$2,000 ▶ \$ _____		
	Multiply the number of other dependents by \$500 ▶ \$ _____		
	Add the amounts above and enter the total here	3	\$ _____
Step 4 (optional): Other Adjustments	(a) Other income (not from jobs). If you want tax withheld for other income you expect this year that won't have withholding, enter the amount of other income here. This may include interest, dividends, and retirement income	4(a)	\$ _____
	(b) Deductions. If you expect to claim deductions other than the standard deduction and want to reduce your withholding, use the Deductions Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result here	4(b)	\$ _____
	(c) Extra withholding. Enter any additional tax you want withheld each pay period	4(c)	\$ _____

Step 5: Under penalties of perjury, I declare that this certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is true, correct, and complete.

Sign Here

▶ **Employee's signature** (This form is not valid unless you sign it.) ▶ **Date**

Employers Only	Employer's name and address	First date of employment	Employer identification number (EIN)
	Tustin Unified School District 300 South C Street Tustin, CA 92780		95-2829821

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code.

Future Developments

For the latest information about developments related to Form W-4, such as legislation enacted after it was published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW4.

Purpose of Form

Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay. If too little is withheld, you will generally owe tax when you file your tax return and may owe a penalty. If too much is withheld, you will generally be due a refund. Complete a new Form W-4 when changes to your personal or financial situation would change the entries on the form. For more information on withholding and when you must furnish a new Form W-4, see Pub. 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax.

Exemption from withholding. You may claim exemption from withholding for 2022 if you meet both of the following conditions: you had no federal income tax liability in 2021 **and** you expect to have no federal income tax liability in 2022. You had no federal income tax liability in 2021 if (1) your total tax on line 24 on your 2021 Form 1040 or 1040-SR is zero (or less than the sum of lines 27a, 28, 29, and 30), or (2) you were not required to file a return because your income was below the filing threshold for your correct filing status. If you claim exemption, you will have no income tax withheld from your paycheck and may owe taxes and penalties when you file your 2022 tax return. To claim exemption from withholding, certify that you meet both of the conditions above by writing "Exempt" on Form W-4 in the space below Step 4(c). Then, complete Steps 1(a), 1(b), and 5. Do not complete any other steps. You will need to submit a new Form W-4 by February 15, 2023.

Your privacy. If you prefer to limit information provided in Steps 2 through 4, use the online estimator, which will also increase accuracy.

As an alternative to the estimator: if you have concerns with Step 2(c), you may choose Step 2(b); if you have concerns with Step 4(a), you may enter an additional amount you want withheld per pay period in Step 4(c). If this is the only job in your household, you may instead check the box in Step 2(c), which will increase your withholding and significantly reduce your paycheck (often by thousands of dollars over the year).

When to use the estimator. Consider using the estimator at www.irs.gov/W4App if you:

1. Expect to work only part of the year;
2. Have dividend or capital gain income, or are subject to additional taxes, such as Additional Medicare Tax;
3. Have self-employment income (see below); or
4. Prefer the most accurate withholding for multiple job situations.

Self-employment. Generally, you will owe both income and self-employment taxes on any self-employment income you receive separate from the wages you receive as an employee. If you want to pay these taxes through withholding from your wages, use the estimator at www.irs.gov/W4App to figure the amount to have withheld.

Nonresident alien. If you're a nonresident alien, see Notice 1392, Supplemental Form W-4 Instructions for Nonresident Aliens, before completing this form.

Specific Instructions

Step 1(c). Check your anticipated filing status. This will determine the standard deduction and tax rates used to compute your withholding.

Step 2. Use this step if you (1) have more than one job at the same time, or (2) are married filing jointly and you and your spouse both work.

Option (a) most accurately calculates the additional tax you need to have withheld, while option (b) does so with a little less accuracy.

If you (and your spouse) have a total of only two jobs, you may instead check the box in option (c). The box must also be checked on the Form W-4 for the other job. If the box is checked, the standard deduction and tax brackets will be cut in half for each job to calculate withholding. This option is roughly accurate for jobs with similar pay; otherwise, more tax than necessary may be withheld, and this extra amount will be larger the greater the difference in pay is between the two jobs.



Multiple jobs. Complete Steps 3 through 4(b) on only one Form W-4. Withholding will be most accurate if you do this on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job.

Step 3. This step provides instructions for determining the amount of the child tax credit and the credit for other dependents that you may be able to claim when you file your tax return. To qualify for the child tax credit, the child must be under age 17 as of December 31, must be your dependent who generally lives with you for more than half the year, and must have the required social security number. You may be able to claim a credit for other dependents for whom a child tax credit can't be claimed, such as an older child or a qualifying relative. For additional eligibility requirements for these credits, see Pub. 501, Dependents, Standard Deduction, and Filing Information. You can also include **other tax credits** for which you are eligible in this step, such as the foreign tax credit and the education tax credits. To do so, add an estimate of the amount for the year to your credits for dependents and enter the total amount in Step 3. Including these credits will increase your paycheck and reduce the amount of any refund you may receive when you file your tax return.

Step 4 (optional).

Step 4(a). Enter in this step the total of your other estimated income for the year, if any. You shouldn't include income from any jobs or self-employment. If you complete Step 4(a), you likely won't have to make estimated tax payments for that income. If you prefer to pay estimated tax rather than having tax on other income withheld from your paycheck, see Form 1040-ES, Estimated Tax for Individuals.

Step 4(b). Enter in this step the amount from the Deductions Worksheet, line 5, if you expect to claim deductions other than the basic standard deduction on your 2022 tax return and want to reduce your withholding to account for these deductions. This includes both itemized deductions and other deductions such as for student loan interest and IRAs.

Step 4(c). Enter in this step any additional tax you want withheld from your pay **each pay period**, including any amounts from the Multiple Jobs Worksheet, line 4. Entering an amount here will reduce your paycheck and will either increase your refund or reduce any amount of tax that you owe.

Step 2(b) – Multiple Jobs Worksheet (Keep for your records.)



If you choose the option in Step 2(b) on Form W-4, complete this worksheet (which calculates the total extra tax for all jobs) on only ONE Form W-4. Withholding will be most accurate if you complete the worksheet and enter the result on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job.

Note: If more than one job has annual wages of more than \$120,000 or there are more than three jobs, see Pub. 505 for additional tables; or, you can use the online withholding estimator at www.irs.gov/W4App.

- 1 Two jobs. If you have two jobs or you're married filing jointly and you and your spouse each have one job, find the amount from the appropriate table on page 4. Using the "Higher Paying Job" row and the "Lower Paying Job" column, find the value at the intersection of the two household salaries and enter that value on line 1. Then, skip to line 3
2 Three jobs. If you and/or your spouse have three jobs at the same time, complete lines 2a, 2b, and 2c below. Otherwise, skip to line 3.
a Find the amount from the appropriate table on page 4 using the annual wages from the highest paying job in the "Higher Paying Job" row and the annual wages for your next highest paying job in the "Lower Paying Job" column. Find the value at the intersection of the two household salaries and enter that value on line 2a
b Add the annual wages of the two highest paying jobs from line 2a together and use the total as the wages in the "Higher Paying Job" row and use the annual wages for your third job in the "Lower Paying Job" column to find the amount from the appropriate table on page 4 and enter this amount on line 2b
c Add the amounts from lines 2a and 2b and enter the result on line 2c
3 Enter the number of pay periods per year for the highest paying job. For example, if that job pays weekly, enter 52; if it pays every other week, enter 26; if it pays monthly, enter 12, etc.
4 Divide the annual amount on line 1 or line 2c by the number of pay periods on line 3. Enter this amount here and in Step 4(c) of Form W-4 for the highest paying job (along with any other additional amount you want withheld)

Step 4(b) – Deductions Worksheet (Keep for your records.)



- 1 Enter an estimate of your 2022 itemized deductions (from Schedule A (Form 1040)). Such deductions may include qualifying home mortgage interest, charitable contributions, state and local taxes (up to \$10,000), and medical expenses in excess of 7.5% of your income
2 Enter: { \$25,900 if you're married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er), \$19,400 if you're head of household, \$12,950 if you're single or married filing separately }
3 If line 1 is greater than line 2, subtract line 2 from line 1 and enter the result here. If line 2 is greater than line 1, enter "-0-"
4 Enter an estimate of your student loan interest, deductible IRA contributions, and certain other adjustments (from Part II of Schedule 1 (Form 1040)). See Pub. 505 for more information
5 Add lines 3 and 4. Enter the result here and in Step 4(b) of Form W-4

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. Internal Revenue Code sections 3402(f)(2) and 6109 and their regulations require you to provide this information; your employer uses it to determine your federal income tax withholding. Failure to provide a properly completed form will result in your being treated as a single person with no other entries on the form; providing fraudulent information may subject you to penalties. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation; to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their tax laws; and to the Department of Health and Human Services for use in the National Directory of New Hires. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by Code section 6103.

The average time and expenses required to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. For estimated averages, see the instructions for your income tax return.

If you have suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for your income tax return.

Married Filing Jointly or Qualifying Widow(er)

Higher Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary	Lower Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary											
	\$0 - 9,999	\$10,000 - 19,999	\$20,000 - 29,999	\$30,000 - 39,999	\$40,000 - 49,999	\$50,000 - 59,999	\$60,000 - 69,999	\$70,000 - 79,999	\$80,000 - 89,999	\$90,000 - 99,999	\$100,000 - 109,999	\$110,000 - 120,000
\$0 - 9,999	\$0	\$110	\$850	\$860	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,770	\$1,870
\$10,000 - 19,999	110	1,110	1,860	2,060	2,220	2,220	2,220	2,220	2,220	2,970	3,970	4,070
\$20,000 - 29,999	850	1,860	2,800	3,000	3,160	3,160	3,160	3,160	3,910	4,910	5,910	6,010
\$30,000 - 39,999	860	2,060	3,000	3,200	3,360	3,360	3,360	4,110	5,110	6,110	7,110	7,210
\$40,000 - 49,999	1,020	2,220	3,160	3,360	3,520	3,520	4,270	5,270	6,270	7,270	8,270	8,370
\$50,000 - 59,999	1,020	2,220	3,160	3,360	3,520	4,270	5,270	6,270	7,270	8,270	9,270	9,370
\$60,000 - 69,999	1,020	2,220	3,160	3,360	4,270	5,270	6,270	7,270	8,270	9,270	10,270	10,370
\$70,000 - 79,999	1,020	2,220	3,160	4,110	5,270	6,270	7,270	8,270	9,270	10,270	11,270	11,370
\$80,000 - 99,999	1,020	2,820	4,760	5,960	7,120	8,120	9,120	10,120	11,120	12,120	13,150	13,450
\$100,000 - 149,999	1,870	4,070	6,010	7,210	8,370	9,370	10,510	11,710	12,910	14,110	15,310	15,600
\$150,000 - 239,999	2,040	4,440	6,580	7,980	9,340	10,540	11,740	12,940	14,140	15,340	16,540	16,830
\$240,000 - 259,999	2,040	4,440	6,580	7,980	9,340	10,540	11,740	12,940	14,140	15,340	16,540	17,590
\$260,000 - 279,999	2,040	4,440	6,580	7,980	9,340	10,540	11,740	12,940	14,140	16,100	18,100	19,190
\$280,000 - 299,999	2,040	4,440	6,580	7,980	9,340	10,540	11,740	13,700	15,700	17,700	19,700	20,790
\$300,000 - 319,999	2,040	4,440	6,580	7,980	9,340	11,300	13,300	15,300	17,300	19,300	21,300	22,390
\$320,000 - 364,999	2,100	5,300	8,240	10,440	12,600	14,600	16,600	18,600	20,600	22,600	24,870	26,260
\$365,000 - 524,999	2,970	6,470	9,710	12,210	14,670	16,970	19,270	21,570	23,870	26,170	28,470	29,870
\$525,000 and over	3,140	6,840	10,280	12,980	15,640	18,140	20,640	23,140	25,640	28,140	30,640	32,240

Single or Married Filing Separately

Higher Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary	Lower Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary											
	\$0 - 9,999	\$10,000 - 19,999	\$20,000 - 29,999	\$30,000 - 39,999	\$40,000 - 49,999	\$50,000 - 59,999	\$60,000 - 69,999	\$70,000 - 79,999	\$80,000 - 89,999	\$90,000 - 99,999	\$100,000 - 109,999	\$110,000 - 120,000
\$0 - 9,999	\$400	\$930	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,250	\$1,870	\$1,870	\$1,870	\$1,870	\$1,970	\$2,040	\$2,040
\$10,000 - 19,999	930	1,570	1,660	1,890	2,890	3,510	3,510	3,510	3,610	3,810	3,880	3,880
\$20,000 - 29,999	1,020	1,660	1,990	2,990	3,990	4,610	4,610	4,710	4,910	5,110	5,180	5,180
\$30,000 - 39,999	1,020	1,890	2,990	3,990	4,990	5,610	5,710	5,910	6,110	6,310	6,380	6,380
\$40,000 - 59,999	1,870	3,510	4,610	5,610	6,680	7,500	7,700	7,900	8,100	8,300	8,370	8,370
\$60,000 - 79,999	1,870	3,510	4,680	5,880	7,080	7,900	8,100	8,300	8,500	8,700	8,970	9,770
\$80,000 - 99,999	1,940	3,780	5,080	6,280	7,480	8,300	8,500	8,700	9,100	10,100	10,970	11,770
\$100,000 - 124,999	2,040	3,880	5,180	6,380	7,580	8,400	9,140	10,140	11,140	12,140	13,040	14,140
\$125,000 - 149,999	2,040	3,880	5,180	6,520	8,520	10,140	11,140	12,140	13,320	14,620	15,790	16,890
\$150,000 - 174,999	2,040	4,420	6,520	8,520	10,520	12,170	13,470	14,770	16,070	17,370	18,540	19,640
\$175,000 - 199,999	2,720	5,360	7,460	9,630	11,930	13,860	15,160	16,460	17,760	19,060	20,230	21,330
\$200,000 - 249,999	2,970	5,920	8,310	10,610	12,910	14,840	16,140	17,440	18,740	20,040	21,210	22,310
\$250,000 - 399,999	2,970	5,920	8,310	10,610	12,910	14,840	16,140	17,440	18,740	20,040	21,210	22,310
\$400,000 - 449,999	2,970	5,920	8,310	10,610	12,910	14,840	16,140	17,440	18,740	20,040	21,210	22,470
\$450,000 and over	3,140	6,290	8,880	11,380	13,880	16,010	17,510	19,010	20,510	22,010	23,380	24,680

Head of Household

Higher Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary	Lower Paying Job Annual Taxable Wage & Salary											
	\$0 - 9,999	\$10,000 - 19,999	\$20,000 - 29,999	\$30,000 - 39,999	\$40,000 - 49,999	\$50,000 - 59,999	\$60,000 - 69,999	\$70,000 - 79,999	\$80,000 - 89,999	\$90,000 - 99,999	\$100,000 - 109,999	\$110,000 - 120,000
\$0 - 9,999	\$0	\$760	\$910	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,020	\$1,190	\$1,870	\$1,870	\$1,870	\$2,040	\$2,040
\$10,000 - 19,999	760	1,820	2,110	2,220	2,220	2,390	3,390	4,070	4,070	4,240	4,440	4,440
\$20,000 - 29,999	910	2,110	2,400	2,510	2,680	3,680	4,680	5,360	5,360	5,730	5,930	5,930
\$30,000 - 39,999	1,020	2,220	2,510	2,790	3,790	4,790	5,790	6,640	6,840	7,040	7,240	7,240
\$40,000 - 59,999	1,020	2,240	3,530	4,640	5,640	6,780	7,980	8,860	9,060	9,260	9,460	9,460
\$60,000 - 79,999	1,870	4,070	5,360	6,610	7,810	9,010	10,210	11,090	11,290	11,490	11,690	12,170
\$80,000 - 99,999	1,870	4,210	5,700	7,010	8,210	9,410	10,610	11,490	11,690	12,380	13,370	14,170
\$100,000 - 124,999	2,040	4,440	5,930	7,240	8,440	9,640	10,860	12,540	13,540	14,540	15,540	16,480
\$125,000 - 149,999	2,040	4,440	5,930	7,240	8,860	10,860	12,860	14,540	15,540	16,830	18,130	19,230
\$150,000 - 174,999	2,040	4,460	6,750	8,860	10,860	12,860	15,000	16,980	18,280	19,580	20,880	21,980
\$175,000 - 199,999	2,720	5,920	8,210	10,320	12,600	14,900	17,200	19,180	20,480	21,780	23,080	24,180
\$200,000 - 449,999	2,970	6,470	9,060	11,480	13,780	16,080	18,380	20,360	21,660	22,960	24,250	25,360
\$450,000 and over	3,140	6,840	9,630	12,250	14,750	17,250	19,750	21,930	23,430	24,930	26,420	27,730

EMPLOYEE'S WITHHOLDING ALLOWANCE CERTIFICATE

Complete this form so that your employer can withhold the correct California state income tax from your paycheck.

Enter Personal Information	
First, Middle, Last Name	Social Security Number
Address City, State, and ZIP Code	Filing Status <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE or MARRIED (with two or more incomes) <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED (one income) <input type="checkbox"/> HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

- Use Worksheet A for Regular Withholding allowances. Use other worksheets on the following pages as applicable.
 - Number of Regular Withholding Allowances (Worksheet A) _____
 - Number of allowances from the Estimated Deductions (Worksheet B, if applicable.) _____
 - Total Number of Allowances you are claiming _____

2. Additional amount, if any, you want withheld each pay period (if employer agrees), (**Worksheet C**) _____
OR

Exemption from Withholding

3. I claim exemption from withholding for 2021, and I certify I meet both of the conditions for exemption. (Check box here)

OR

4. I certify under penalty of perjury that I am **not subject** to California withholding. I meet the conditions set forth under the Service Member Civil Relief Act, as amended by the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act and the Veterans Benefits and Transition Act of 2018. (Check box here)

Under the penalties of perjury, I certify that the number of withholding allowances claimed on this certificate does not exceed the number to which I am entitled or, if claiming exemption from withholding, that I am entitled to claim the exempt status.

Employee's Signature _____ Date _____

Employer's Section: Employer's Name and Address Tustin Unified School District 300 South C Street Tustin, CA 92780	California Employer Payroll Tax Account Number
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PURPOSE: This certificate, DE 4, is for **California Personal Income Tax (PIT) withholding** purposes only. The DE 4 is used to compute the amount of taxes to be withheld from your wages, by your employer, to accurately reflect your state tax withholding obligation.

Beginning January 1, 2020, *Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate* (Form W-4) from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will be used for federal income tax withholding **only**. You must file the state form *Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate* (DE 4) to determine the appropriate California Personal Income Tax (PIT) withholding.

If you do not provide your employer with a withholding certificate, the employer must use Single with Zero withholding allowance.

CHECK YOUR WITHHOLDING: After your DE 4 takes effect, compare the state income tax withheld with your estimated total annual tax. For state withholding, use the worksheets on this form.

EXEMPTION FROM WITHHOLDING: If you wish to claim exempt, complete the federal Form W-4 and the state DE 4. You may claim exempt from withholding California income tax if you meet both of the following conditions for exemption:

- You did not owe any federal/state income tax last year, and
- You do not expect to owe any federal/state income tax this year. The exemption is good for one year.

If you continue to qualify for the exempt filing status, a new DE 4 designating EXEMPT must be submitted by February 15 each year to continue your exemption. If you are not having federal/state income tax withheld this year but expect to have a tax liability next year, you are required to give your employer a new DE 4 by December 1.

Member Service Civil Relief Act: Under this act, as provided by the Military Spouses Residency Relief Act and the Veterans Benefits and Transition Act of 2018, you may be exempt from California income tax withholding on your wages if

- your spouse is a member of the armed forces present in California in compliance with military orders;
- you are present in California solely to be with your spouse; and
- you maintain your domicile in another state.

If you claim exemption under **this act**, **check the box on Line 4**. You may be required to provide proof of exemption upon request.

The [California Employer's Guide \(DE 44\)](http://edd.ca.gov/pdf_pub_ctr/de44.pdf) (edd.ca.gov/pdf_pub_ctr/de44.pdf) provides the income tax withholding tables. This publication may be found by visiting [Payroll Taxes - Forms and Publications](http://edd.ca.gov/Payroll_Taxes/Forms_and_Publications.htm) (edd.ca.gov/Payroll_Taxes/Forms_and_Publications.htm). To assist you in calculating your tax liability, please visit the [Franchise Tax Board \(FTB\)](http://ftb.ca.gov) (ftb.ca.gov).

If you need information on your last *California Resident Income Tax Return* (FTB Form 540), visit the [FTB](http://ftb.ca.gov) (ftb.ca.gov).

NOTIFICATION: The burden of proof rests with the employee to show the correct California income tax withholding. Pursuant to section 4340-1(e) of [Title 22, California Code of Regulations \(CCR\)](http://govt.westlaw.com/calregs/Search/Index) (govt.westlaw.com/calregs/Search/Index), the FTB or the EDD may, by special direction in writing, require an employer to submit a Form W-4 or DE 4 when such forms are necessary for the administration of the withholding tax programs.

PENALTY: You may be fined \$500 if you file, with no reasonable basis, a DE 4 that results in less tax being withheld than is properly allowable. In addition, criminal penalties apply for willfully supplying false or fraudulent information or failing to supply information requiring an increase in withholding. This is provided by section 13101 of the [California Unemployment Insurance Code](http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes.xhtml) (leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes.xhtml) and section 19176 of the [Revenue and Taxation Code](http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes.xhtml) (leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes.xhtml).

WORKSHEETS

INSTRUCTIONS — 1 — ALLOWANCES*

When determining your withholding allowances, you must consider your personal situation:

- Do you claim allowances for dependents or blindness?
- Will you itemize your deductions?
- Do you have more than one income coming into the household?

TWO-EARNERS/MULTIPLE INCOMES: When earnings are derived from more than one source, under-withholding may occur. If you have a working spouse or more than one job, it is best to check the box "SINGLE or MARRIED (with two or more incomes)." Figure the total number of allowances you are entitled to claim on all jobs using only one DE 4 form. Claim allowances with **one** employer.

Do **not** claim the same allowances with more than one employer. Your withholding will usually be most accurate when all allowances are claimed on the DE 4 filed for the highest paying job and zero allowances are claimed for the others.

MARRIED BUT NOT LIVING WITH YOUR SPOUSE: You may check the "Head of Household" marital status box if you meet all of the following tests:

- (1) Your spouse will not live with you **at any time** during the year;
- (2) You will furnish over half of the cost of maintaining a home for the entire year for yourself and your child or stepchild who qualifies as your dependent; **and**
- (3) You will file a separate return for the year.

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD: To qualify, you must be unmarried or legally separated from your spouse and pay more than 50% of the costs of maintaining a home for the **entire** year for yourself and your dependent(s) or other qualifying individuals. Cost of maintaining the home includes such items as rent, property insurance, property taxes, mortgage interest, repairs, utilities, and cost of food. It does not include the individual's personal expenses or any amount which represents value of services performed by a member of the household of the taxpayer.

WORKSHEET A

REGULAR WITHHOLDING ALLOWANCES

- | | |
|--|-----|
| (A) Allowance for yourself — enter 1 | (A) |
| (B) Allowance for your spouse (if not separately claimed by your spouse) — enter 1 | (B) |
| (C) Allowance for blindness — yourself — enter 1 | (C) |
| (D) Allowance for blindness — your spouse (if not separately claimed by your spouse) — enter 1 | (D) |
| (E) Allowance(s) for dependent(s) — do not include yourself or your spouse | (E) |
| (F) Total — add lines (A) through (E) above and enter on line 1a of the DE 4 | (F) |

INSTRUCTIONS — 2 — (OPTIONAL) ADDITIONAL WITHHOLDING ALLOWANCES

If you expect to itemize deductions on your California income tax return, you can claim additional withholding allowances. Use Worksheet B to determine whether your expected estimated deductions may entitle you to claim **one or more additional** withholding allowances. Use last year's FTB Form 540 as a model to calculate this year's withholding amounts.

Do not include deferred compensation, qualified pension payments, or flexible benefits, etc., that are deducted from your gross pay but are not taxed on this worksheet.

You may reduce the amount of tax withheld from your wages by claiming one additional withholding allowance for each \$1,000, or fraction of \$1,000, by which you expect your estimated deductions for the year to exceed your allowable standard deduction.

WORKSHEET B

ESTIMATED DEDUCTIONS

Use this worksheet **only** if you plan to itemize deductions, claim certain adjustments to income, or have a large amount of nonwage income not subject to withholding.

- | | |
|---|------|
| 1. Enter an estimate of your itemized deductions for California taxes for this tax year as listed in the schedules in the FTB Form 540 | 1. |
| 2. Enter \$9,202 if married filing joint with two or more allowances, unmarried head of household, or qualifying widow(er) with dependent(s) or \$4,601 if single or married filing separately, dual income married, or married with multiple employers | - 2. |
| 3. Subtract line 2 from line 1, enter difference | = 3. |
| 4. Enter an estimate of your adjustments to income (alimony payments, IRA deposits) | + 4. |
| 5. Add line 4 to line 3, enter sum | = 5. |
| 6. Enter an estimate of your nonwage income (dividends, interest income, alimony receipts) | - 6. |
| 7. If line 5 is greater than line 6 (if less, see below [go to line 9]); Subtract line 6 from line 5, enter difference | = 7. |
| 8. Divide the amount on line 7 by \$1,000, round any fraction to the nearest whole number enter this number on line 1b of the DE 4. Complete Worksheet C, if needed, otherwise stop here . | 8. |
| 9. If line 6 is greater than line 5; Enter amount from line 6 (nonwage income) | 9. |
| 10. Enter amount from line 5 (deductions) | 10. |
| 11. Subtract line 10 from line 9, enter difference. Then, complete Worksheet C. | 11. |

*Wages paid to registered domestic partners will be treated the same for state income tax purposes as wages paid to spouses for California PIT withholding and PIT wages. This law does not impact federal income tax law. A registered domestic partner means an individual partner in a domestic partner relationship within the meaning of section 297 of the Family Code. For more information, please call our Taxpayer Assistance Center at 1-888-745-3886.

1. Enter estimate of total wages for tax year 2021. 1.
2. Enter estimate of nonwage income (line 6 of Worksheet B). 2.
3. Add line 1 and line 2. Enter sum. 3.
4. Enter itemized deductions or standard deduction (line 1 or 2 of Worksheet B, whichever is largest). 4.
5. Enter adjustments to income (line 4 of Worksheet B). 5.
6. Add line 4 and line 5. Enter sum. 6.
7. Subtract line 6 from line 3. Enter difference. 7.
8. Figure your tax liability for the amount on line 7 by using the 2021 tax rate schedules below. 8.
9. Enter personal exemptions (line F of Worksheet A x \$136.40). 9.
10. Subtract line 9 from line 8. Enter difference. 10.
11. Enter any tax credits. (See FTB Form 540). 11.
12. Subtract line 11 from line 10. Enter difference. This is your total tax liability. 12.
13. Calculate the tax withheld and estimated to be withheld during 2021. Contact your employer to request the amount that will be withheld on your wages based on the marital status and number of withholding allowances you will claim for 2021. Multiply the estimated amount to be withheld by the number of pay periods left in the year. Add the total to the amount already withheld for 2021. 13.
14. Subtract line 13 from line 12. Enter difference. If this is less than zero, you do not need to have additional taxes withheld. 14.
15. Divide line 14 by the number of pay periods remaining in the year. Enter this figure on line 2 of the DE 4. 15.

NOTE: Your employer is not required to withhold the additional amount requested on line 2 of your DE 4. If your employer does not agree to withhold the additional amount, you may increase your withholdings as much as possible by using the "single" status with "zero" allowances. If the amount withheld still results in an underpayment of state income taxes, you may need to file quarterly estimates on Form 540-ES with the FTB to avoid a penalty.

THESE TABLES ARE FOR CALCULATING WORKSHEET C AND FOR 2021 ONLY

**SINGLE PERSONS, DUAL INCOME
MARRIED WITH MULTIPLE EMPLOYERS**

IF THE TAXABLE INCOME IS		COMPUTED TAX IS		
OVER	BUT NOT OVER	OF AMOUNT OVER...		PLUS
\$0	\$8,932	1.100%	\$0	\$0.00
\$8,932	\$21,175	2.200%	\$8,932	\$98.25
\$21,175	\$33,421	4.400%	\$21,175	\$367.60
\$33,421	\$46,394	6.600%	\$33,421	\$906.42
\$46,394	\$58,634	8.800%	\$46,394	\$1,762.64
\$58,634	\$299,508	10.230%	\$58,634	\$2,839.76
\$299,508	\$359,407	11.330%	\$299,508	\$27,481.17
\$359,407	\$599,012	12.430%	\$359,407	\$34,267.73
\$599,012	\$1,000,000	13.530%	\$599,012	\$64,050.63
\$1,000,000	and over	14.630%	\$1,000,000	\$118,304.31

MARRIED PERSONS

IF THE TAXABLE INCOME IS		COMPUTED TAX IS		
OVER	BUT NOT OVER	OF AMOUNT OVER...		PLUS
\$0	\$17,864	1.100%	\$0	\$0.00
\$17,864	\$42,350	2.200%	\$17,864	\$196.50
\$42,350	\$66,842	4.400%	\$42,350	\$735.19
\$66,842	\$92,788	6.600%	\$66,842	\$1,812.84
\$92,788	\$117,268	8.800%	\$92,788	\$3,525.28
\$117,268	\$599,016	10.230%	\$117,268	\$5,679.52
\$599,016	\$718,814	11.330%	\$599,016	\$54,962.34
\$718,814	\$1,000,000	12.430%	\$718,814	\$68,535.45
\$1,000,000	\$1,198,024	13.530%	\$1,000,000	\$103,486.87
\$1,198,024	and over	14.630%	\$1,198,024	\$130,279.52

UNMARRIED HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

IF THE TAXABLE INCOME IS		COMPUTED TAX IS		
OVER	BUT NOT OVER	OF AMOUNT OVER...		PLUS
\$0	\$17,876	1.100%	\$0	\$0.00
\$17,876	\$42,353	2.200%	\$17,876	\$196.64
\$42,353	\$54,597	4.400%	\$42,353	\$735.13
\$54,597	\$67,569	6.600%	\$54,597	\$1,273.87
\$67,569	\$79,812	8.800%	\$67,569	\$2,130.02
\$79,812	\$407,329	10.230%	\$79,812	\$3,207.40
\$407,329	\$488,796	11.330%	\$407,329	\$36,712.39
\$488,796	\$814,658	12.430%	\$488,796	\$45,942.60
\$814,658	\$1,000,000	13.530%	\$814,658	\$86,447.25
\$1,000,000	and over	14.630%	\$1,000,000	\$111,524.02

If you need information on your last California Resident Income Tax Return, FTB Form 540, visit [FTB](http://ftb.ca.gov) (ftb.ca.gov).

The DE 4 information is collected for purposes of administering the PIT law and under the authority of Title 22, CCR, section 4340-1, and the California Revenue and Taxation Code, including section 18624. The Information Practices Act of 1977 requires that individuals be notified of how information they provide may be used. Further information is contained in the instructions that came with your last California resident income tax return.

Permissive Membership-Instructions

If you are employed to perform creditable service in a position that is excluded from mandatory membership in the CalSTRS' Defined Benefit (DB) Program, you may use this form to elect DB Program membership at any time while employed to perform creditable service.

A permissive election of membership in the DB Program applies to all future creditable service performed for the same or another employer, including any non-member or CalSTRS Cash Balance Benefit (CB) Program service you are currently performing. You may be entitled to elect coverage by the CB Program or California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) for future eligible service as allowed by law. Please work with your employer if you believe you are entitled to make one of these elections.

A permissive election of membership in the DB Program is irrevocable. Membership may only be cancelled if you terminate all employment to perform creditable service and refund your accumulated retirement contributions from the CalSTRS DB Program.

SECTION 1: EMPLOYEE INFORMATION (TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYEE)

Provide the following information:

- CalSTRS Client ID* or Social Security Number
- Last Name, First Name and Middle Initial
- Mailing Address**, City, State and Zip Code
- Date of Birth
- Email Address
- Telephone Number

*If you have already been employed to perform creditable service you will have a CalSTRS Client ID, even if you were not formerly a member. Please provide your CalSTRS Client ID, if you have one, in lieu of your Social Security Number.

**To establish residency for tax purposes, we ask that you provide a street address. Be sure to include any street, apartment or suite number. If your post office does not deliver mail to your street address, you may enter your box number instead. If you reside outside the United States, use the CITY – STATE – ZIP field to provide your foreign address. If you receive your mail in care of a third party, enter "c/o" followed by the third party's name and address.

SECTION 2: EMPLOYEE ELECTION (TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYEE)

If you want to elect membership in the CalSTRS DB Program:

- Check the appropriate box
- Provide your requested membership date***

***You will begin contributing to the DB Program as of your membership date. Your membership date can be no earlier than the first day of the pay period in which your election is made, or your first day of employment, whichever is later. Work with your employer to select the most beneficial, valid membership date you are eligible for. Electing an invalid membership date will require a revision to your election form and may result in delayed contributions to CalSTRS.

If you do not want to elect membership in the CalSTRS DB Program at this time, check the appropriate box.

SECTION 3: REQUIRED SIGNATURE (TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYEE)

Sign the form and date your signature.
Return the form to your employer.

SECTION 4: EMPLOYEE POSITION INFORMATION (TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYER)

Provide the position hire date – the date in which the employee was hired to perform creditable service in the position they are making this election for. CalSTRS defers to the employer as to the date in which you consider an employee to be hired. Provide the position title – the title of the position the employee is performing creditable service in.

SECTION 5: EMPLOYER INFORMATION AND CERTIFICATION (TO BE COMPLETED BY EMPLOYER)

Verify the employee is eligible for the requested membership date.

Provide the following information:

- The employer (county or district) name
- County and district code
- Name and title of employer official completing the form

Sign the form and date your signature.
Submit the form to CalSTRS and retain a copy.

Permissive Membership-Instructions

SUBMITTING THE FORM

This form should be submitted to CalSTRS by the employer. CalSTRS must receive this form within 60 days after the employee's signature date and, if applicable, prior to the submission of contributions. Submit the form by mail or the Secure Employer Website.

Mail to: CalSTRS
 P.O. Box 15275, MS 17
 Sacramento, CA 95851-0275

Secure Attach the form to a secure message
Employer and submit via SEW
Website:

Please do not submit this form via email as it may contain personally identifiable information.

QUESTIONS

Employee – contact your employer

Employer – contact CalSTRS Employer Help

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P.O. Box 15275, MS 17
Sacramento, CA 95851-0275
800-228-5453
CalSTRS.com

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**PERMISSIVE MEMBERSHIP ELECTION AND/OR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT
OF CALSTRS DEFINED BENEFIT PROGRAM MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

This form is used to permissively elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program and/or to acknowledge receipt of information provided by an employer about the right to elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program. Please read all instructions before completing the form.

Section 1: Employee Information (to be completed by employee)

Provide either your CalSTRS Client ID or Social Security number.

CLIENT ID	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME	MI
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

ADDRESS (number, street, apt or suite no.)

CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

EMAIL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Section 2: Employee Election (to be completed by employee)

Check One:

- I elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program as of: _____
MEMBERSHIP DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)**

I understand this election applies to all future creditable service performed for any current or future employer unless another election is made as allowed by law. I understand my membership is irrevocable and may only be cancelled by terminating all employment to perform creditable service and receiving a refund of my accumulated retirement contributions from the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program.

**Membership Date may be no earlier than the first day of the pay period in which the election is made, or the first day of employment, whichever is later. Please work with your employer to select the most beneficial, valid membership date.

- I decline membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program at this time
I understand that I can elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program at any time while I am employed to perform creditable service.



Section 3: Required Signature (to be completed by employee)

I certify that I have received information from my employer concerning the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program and understand the criteria for membership in the program.

I understand it is a crime to fail to disclose a material fact or to make any knowingly false material statement, including a false statement regarding my marital status, for the purpose of using it, or allowing it to be used, to obtain, receive, continue, increase, deny or reduce any benefit administered by CalSTRS and it may result in penalties, including restitution, of up to one year in jail and/or a fine of up to \$5,000 (Education Code section 22010). It may also result in any document containing such false representation being voided. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that perjury is punishable by imprisonment for up to four years (Penal Code section 126).

EMPLOYEE SIGNATURE	DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
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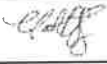
Section 4: Employee Position Information (to be completed by employer)

POSITION TITLE	POSITION HIRE DATE
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Section 5: Employer Information and Certification (to be completed by employer) Required Signature

I certify that the above-named employee was provided information about their right to elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program and, if electing membership, is eligible to elect membership in the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program as of the membership date provided.

I understand it is a crime to fail to disclose a material fact or to make any knowingly false material statement for the purpose of using it, or allowing it to be used, to obtain, receive, continue, increase, deny or reduce any benefit administered by CalSTRS and it may result in penalties, including restitution, of up to one year in jail and/or a fine of up to \$5,000 (Education Code section 22010). It may also result in any document containing such false representation being voided. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that perjury is punishable by imprisonment for up to four years (Penal Code section 126).

EMPLOYER OFFICIAL'S SIGNATURE 	DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
EMPLOYER NAME Tustin Unified School District - 087	COUNTY AND DISTRICT CODE Orange - 30
EMPLOYER OFFICIAL'S NAME AND TITLE Maurita De La Torre, Ed.D., Chief Personnel Officer	

Recipient Designation—Information

One-Time Death Benefit/Cash Balance Lump-Sum Payment

Important: Be sure to read the instructions carefully before completing this form. **If you submit an incomplete form, we will not accept it. In addition, we must receive your form before your death. Be sure to review your form carefully before submitting it.**

If you're a member of the Defined Benefit Program, use this form to designate your one-time death benefit recipient; if you're a participant of the Cash Balance Benefit Program, use this form to designate your lump-sum payment recipient.

- ✱ Complete and submit this form online using your *myCalSTRS* account for faster processing. You'll receive step-by-step guidance to complete your form correctly, and your form will be submitted automatically.

We must receive your form before your death.

DEFINED BENEFIT PROGRAM MEMBERS

Use this form to designate recipients to receive the one-time benefit that may be payable in the event of your death. If you are an active member at the time of your death, and if you did not elect an option beneficiary to receive a continuing benefit after your death, or you have no spouse, registered domestic partner or children eligible to receive a family or survivor benefit allowance after your death, any accumulated contributions in your account will be paid to your designated recipients.

If your death occurs before retirement, your recipients may be eligible to receive the balance in your Defined Benefit Supplement account as an ongoing annuity or a lump-sum payment. If your death occurs after retirement, your recipients may be eligible for the ongoing annuity you elected at retirement.

This form will not protect your survivor with a lifetime benefit. To provide your survivors with a lifetime benefit, submit the *Preretirement Election of an Option* form when you are eligible to retire.

CASH BALANCE BENEFIT PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

Use this form to designate recipients to receive the lump-sum payment in the event of your death.

If you are receiving an annuity at the time of your death, the benefit payable is determined based on the annuity you elected.

If your recipient's (other than an entity) share of your account balance is at least \$3,500, they may elect to receive an annuity in place of a lump-sum payment.

IMPORTANT FACTS

- After we review your form and determine it is complete, we will send you a confirmation letter. **Be sure to keep the confirmation letter with your important documents.**
- This form remains in effect until either you submit another valid *Recipient Designation* form, or your membership in CalSTRS is terminated by a refund of your accumulated contributions. This form may or may not remain in effect upon a dissolution of marriage or termination of registered domestic partnership, depending on the circumstances. **It is important to keep this form current.**
- If any of your primary recipients predeceases you, or waives or disclaims their interest, the percentage you designated to that recipient will be distributed proportionally to all your remaining primary recipients. If any of your secondary recipients predeceases you, or waives or disclaims their interest, the percentage you designated to that recipient will be distributed proportionally to all your remaining secondary recipients. If we are unable to locate a recipient you designated, we will not distribute the benefit payable until the designated recipient is located and confirmed.
- If you do not have a valid *Recipient Designation* form on file with CalSTRS before your death or if all your designated recipients predecease you, any death benefit payable will be paid to your estate.
- You may change your recipient designations at any time—before or after retirement. There is no fee or financial penalty for changing your designation. Review your designations regularly to ensure we have the most current and accurate information to pay out the benefits according to your wishes.

Recipient Designation—Instructions

One-Time Death Benefit/Cash Balance Lump-Sum Payment

Print clearly in dark ink or type all information requested. Initial all corrections on the form.

Check the appropriate box to identify your CalSTRS membership status. If you are not sure of your CalSTRS membership, see your most recent *Retirement Progress Report*, available on *myCalSTRS*, or call us at 800-228-5453.

If you are both a Defined Benefit Program member and Cash Balance Benefit Program participant and you are designating different recipients for each, you must complete two separate *Recipient Designation* forms.

SECTION 1: MEMBER/PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Enter your full name, Client ID or Social Security number, complete mailing address, birth date, telephone number and email address.

SECTIONS 2 AND 3: PRIMARY AND SECONDARY RECIPIENTS OR TRUST

You may name a living person, an estate, a trust, a corporation, a charitable organization, a parochial institution or a public entity as your recipient. **Important Note: All information marked with an asterisk (*) is required. We will reject your form if any required field is left blank.**

- **Persons**—To designate a person or persons, check the box and provide full name,* address,* telephone number, Social Security number,* birth date* and relationship. Be sure to indicate the percentage.
- **Organization**—To designate an organization, check the box and enter the name and address of the organization* and the organization's tax identification number.* Include organization contact information whenever possible. Be sure to indicate the percentage.
- **Trust**—To designate a trust, check the box and enter the full name of the trust,* the trustee's name* and address, and the date the trust was created.* CalSTRS will contact the trustee and pay benefits to the trust. You do not need to provide the trust document at this time. Be sure to indicate the percentage.
- **Estate**—To designate your estate, check the box and enter "My Estate" for the recipient's name. Be sure to indicate the percentage.

Check the box on page 3 if additional recipients are listed on an attachment. Identify each as *primary* or *secondary*. You must designate a percentage for each recipient. If you use percentages, the total must equal 100 percent

for the primary recipient section and 100 percent for the secondary recipient section.

SECTION 4: REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Check all boxes that apply, then sign and date your form. If you are married or registered as a domestic partner, your spouse or partner must also sign and date your form acknowledging your recipients and provide their Social Security number and date of birth. For validation purposes, when using *myCalSTRS* the spouse or partner's signature must be submitted in the same format—handwritten or electronic.

If your spouse or registered domestic partner does not sign your form, you must complete the *Justification for Non-Signature of Spouse or Registered Domestic Partner*.

Failure to have the required signatures will result in the rejection of your *Recipient Designation* form.

If you divorced or terminated a registered domestic partnership and a portion of your CalSTRS benefits was awarded to a former spouse or partner, check the box that indicates this. You may need to refer to your settlement agreement. In addition, if your court documents have not been reviewed by CalSTRS, you may be asked to provide them.

SUBMITTING YOUR FORM

myCalSTRS

Complete and submit your form online using *myCalSTRS*. It's easy, fast and secure.

Hand Delivery

Hand deliver your form to a local CalSTRS office (visit CalSTRS.com/forms-drop). **Note:** We must receive your form before your death.

Mailing Address

CalSTRS
P.O. Box 15275, MS 43
Sacramento, CA 95851-0275

Overnight Delivery

If you are using a special mailing service such as UPS or FedEx, send your form to:

CalSTRS
Member Services
100 Waterfront Place
West Sacramento, CA 95605

Fax Delivery

916-414-5783 or 916-414-5784

QUESTIONS

Email your questions using your *myCalSTRS* account or at CalSTRS.com/contactus, or call 800-228-5453.

Recipient Designation

One-Time Death Benefit/Cash Balance Lump-Sum Payment

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 Sacramento, CA 95851-0275
 800-228-5453
 CalSTRS.com

*** Your form will be rejected if any required field is left blank.**

This form is for designating recipients to receive the death benefits payable in the event of your death under the CalSTRS Defined Benefit Program and the Cash Balance Benefit Program. Print clearly in dark ink or type all information requested and initial any corrections. If you are not sure of your CalSTRS membership, see your most recent *Retirement Progress Report*, available on *myCalSTRS*, or call us at 800-228-5453. You may complete and submit this form online using your *myCalSTRS* account for faster processing. You'll receive step-by-step guidance to complete your form correctly, and your form will be submitted automatically.

Check one of the following:

- I am a member of the Defined Benefit Program. My recipient designation is for the one-time death benefit payable upon my death.
- I am a participant of the Cash Balance Benefit Program. My recipient designation is for the lump-sum payment to be distributed upon my death.
- I am a member/participant of both the Defined Benefit and Cash Balance programs. My recipient designation is for the death benefits payable under both programs. (Refer to instructions if recipients are different between programs.)

I hereby revoke any previous designations and designate the following primary recipients—that are living upon my death—to receive equal amounts, unless otherwise specified, as recipients of any benefits payable under the Teachers' Retirement Law at the time of my death. If any of my primary recipients predecease me, or waive or disclaim their interest, the percentage I designated to that recipient will be distributed proportionally to all my remaining primary recipients. If I survive the primary recipients, I designate the secondary recipients—that are living upon my death—to share equally, unless otherwise specified, as recipients for any benefits payable under law at the time of my death. If any of my secondary recipients predecease me, or waive or disclaim their interest, the percentage I designated to that recipient will be distributed proportionally to all my remaining secondary recipients. If I survive all of my named recipients, then any benefit payable at the time of my death will be paid to my estate. I understand this form does not designate a recipient to receive a continuing monthly retirement benefit.

Section 1: Member/Participant Information (*indicates required information)

NAME (LAST, FIRST, INITIAL)*			CLIENT ID OR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER*	
MAILING ADDRESS*			DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY)*	
CITY*	STATE*	ZIP CODE*	HOME TELEPHONE	
EMAIL ADDRESS				

Section 2: Primary Recipients (*indicates required information)

Use this area to designate one or more *primary* recipients to receive a death benefit. Use additional sheets if needed.

FULL NAME OF PERSON, TRUST OR ORGANIZATION*			()	
MAILING ADDRESS*			TELEPHONE	
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE		
<input type="checkbox"/> Person – Relationship: _____ Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Nonbinary			SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/TAXPAYER ID NUMBER/EMPLOYER ID NUMBER*	
<input type="checkbox"/> Organization – Contact Name: _____			DATE OF BIRTH/TRUST DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)*	
<input type="checkbox"/> Trust			PERCENTAGE*	
<input type="checkbox"/> Estate			(MUST TOTAL 100% FOR ALL PRIMARY RECIPIENTS)	



Recipient Designation continued



* Your form will be rejected if any required field is left blank.

Section 2: Primary Recipients continued

FULL NAME OF PERSON, TRUST OR ORGANIZATION*

()

MAILING ADDRESS*

TELEPHONE

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Person - Relationship: _____

Gender: Male Female Nonbinary

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/TIN/EIN*

Organization - Contact Name: _____

DATE OF BIRTH/TRUST DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)*

Trust

PERCENTAGE*

Estate

(MUST TOTAL 100% FOR ALL PRIMARY RECIPIENTS)*

FULL NAME OF PERSON, TRUST OR ORGANIZATION*

()

MAILING ADDRESS*

TELEPHONE

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Person - Relationship: _____

Gender: Male Female Nonbinary

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/TIN/EIN*

Organization - Contact Name: _____

DATE OF BIRTH/TRUST DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)*

Trust

PERCENTAGE*

Estate

(MUST TOTAL 100% FOR ALL PRIMARY RECIPIENTS)

Section 3: Secondary Recipients (*indicates required information)

Use this area to designate one or more *secondary* recipients to receive a death benefit should all of your primary recipients predecease you. Use additional sheets if needed.

FULL NAME OF PERSON, TRUST OR ORGANIZATION*

()

MAILING ADDRESS*

TELEPHONE

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

Person - Relationship: _____

Gender: Male Female Nonbinary

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/TIN/EIN*

Organization - Contact Name: _____

DATE OF BIRTH/TRUST DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)*

Trust

PERCENTAGE*

Estate

(MUST TOTAL 100% FOR ALL SECONDARY RECIPIENTS)



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Recipient Designation continued



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Section 3: Secondary Recipients continued

FULL NAME OF PERSON, TRUST OR ORGANIZATION* _____

MAILING ADDRESS* _____ TELEPHONE () _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

Person – Relationship: _____ SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER/TIN/EIN* _____
 Gender: Male Female Nonbinary

Organization – Contact Name: _____ DATE OF BIRTH/TRUST DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)* _____

Trust PERCENTAGE * _____
 Estate (MUST TOTAL 100% FOR ALL SECONDARY RECIPIENTS)

Check this box if additional recipients are listed on an attachment. Identify each as *primary* or *secondary* and the percentages. Percentages must total 100% for all recipients. **Important Note:** All information marked with an asterisk is required. We will reject your form if any required field is left blank.

Section 4: Required Signatures

Check all that apply.

- I am married or registered as a domestic partner and both our signatures are below.
- I am married or registered as a domestic partner and my spouse or partner did not sign below. I have completed and signed the *Justification for Non-Signature of Spouse or Registered Domestic Partner* section on the next page.
- I have never been married or in a registered domestic partnership, or I am widowed or my partner has died.
- I have been divorced or terminated a registered domestic partnership and my former spouse or partner was awarded a portion of my CalSTRS benefits.
- I have been divorced or have terminated a registered domestic partnership and my former spouse or partner was *not* awarded a portion of my CalSTRS benefits.

I understand it is a crime to fail to disclose a material fact or to make any knowingly false material statement, including a false statement regarding my marital status, for the purpose of using it, or allowing it to be used, to obtain, receive, continue, increase, deny or reduce any benefit administered by CalSTRS and it may result in penalties, including restitution, of up to one year in jail and/or a fine of up to \$5,000 (Education Code section 22010). It may also result in any document containing such false representation being voided.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that perjury is punishable by imprisonment for up to four years (Penal Code section 126).

_____ SIGNATURE DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

MEMBER'S SIGNATURE

_____ SIGNATURE DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

SPOUSE'S OR REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNER'S SIGNATURE

 SPOUSE'S OR PARTNER'S PRINTED NAME (LAST, FIRST, INITIAL)

 SPOUSE'S OR PARTNER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

 SPOUSE'S OR PARTNER'S DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY)



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* Your form will be rejected if any required field is left blank.

Justification for Non-Signature of Spouse or Registered Domestic Partner

As required by Education Code sections 22453 and 26703, the signature of the spouse or registered domestic partner of the CalSTRS member or participant is required on any form in which the CalSTRS member or participant makes a request related to the election, change or cancellation of a CalSTRS benefit, subject to the following exceptions. If you are married or registered as a domestic partner and your spouse or partner did not sign one or more of the forms identified in the "Documents Submitted" section, you must check the appropriate box indicating the reason your spouse or partner did not sign.

- I do not know and have taken all reasonable steps to determine the whereabouts of my spouse or registered domestic partner.
- My spouse or registered domestic partner is incapable of executing the acknowledgment because of an incapacitating mental or physical condition.
- My current spouse or registered domestic partner has no identifiable community property interest in the benefits.
- My spouse or registered domestic partner and I have executed a settlement agreement that makes the community property law inapplicable to the marriage or registered domestic partnership.
- My spouse or registered domestic partner has refused to sign the acknowledgment. Court action will be or has been initiated to enforce or waive the signature requirement for my spouse or registered domestic partner (Education Code sections 22454 and 26704). CalSTRS must have a certified copy of the court order before any benefits can be paid. Submit a certified copy of the court order when you receive it.

I understand it is a crime to fail to disclose a material fact or to make any knowingly false material statement, including a false statement regarding my marital status, for the purpose of using it, or allowing it to be used, to obtain, receive, continue, increase, deny or reduce any benefit administered by CalSTRS and it may result in penalties, including restitution, of up to one year in jail and/or a fine of up to \$5,000 (Education Code section 22010). It may also result in any document containing such false representation being voided.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that perjury is punishable by imprisonment for up to four years (Penal Code section 126).



MEMBER'S SIGNATURE

SIGNATURE DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

If you submit an incomplete form, we will not accept it. Be sure to review your form carefully before submitting it:

- Did you designate at least one primary recipient and provide all the required information?
- If you designated a trust, did you provide the name and date the trust was created? Do not provide your trust document at this time.
- If you designated percentages, do they equal 100 percent for your primary recipients and 100 percent for your secondary recipients?
- Did you sign and date the form?
- If you are married or in a registered domestic partnership, did your spouse or partner sign and date the form?
- If you cannot obtain your spouse or partner's signature, did you complete, sign and date the *Justification for Non-Signature of Spouse or Registered Domestic Partner*?



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NOTICE OF PARS MEMBERSHIP

To: Part-time, Substitute, and Temporary Employees

The Tustin Unified School District is pleased to announce the implementation of the PARS Alternate Retirement System (ARS) effective July 1, 2012. PARS-ARS is an alternative retirement plan to Social Security for part-time employees who work less than 4 hours per day, substitute, and temporary employees who are not eligible to participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) or State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS).

As a new employee hired after July 1, 2012, once you have completed five years of employment with TUSD you will have a one-time opportunity to opt out of the PARS-ARS retirement and go into Social Security. If this is something you elect to do, it is your responsibility to contact Personnel Services during the month of September _____ (year) to request in writing to stop contributions to the PARS-ARS retirement and begin contributions to Social Security. All requests are to be submitted in person to Personnel Services and not via District or US mail. This is the only notice you will receive regarding this option and the timeline to make your written request.

Enclosed you will find a plan information sheet to provide you with additional information regarding the PARS Alternative Retirement System.

Please contact PARS at (800) 540-6369 if you have any questions about the PARS-ARS plan.

Employee's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Tustin Unified School District

Alternate Retirement System Plan

Plan Information Sheet

for Part-Time, Seasonal, and Temporary Employees



Introduction

A federal law, the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (OBRA 90), requires that governmental employees who are not members of their employer's existing retirement system be covered by Social Security or an alternate plan.

You are enrolled in an alternate plan called the Public Agency Retirement Services Alternate Retirement System Plan (PARS ARS). PARS ARS satisfies federal requirements and provides cost savings to you and your employer when compared to Social Security. The PARS ARS plan only requires a minimum contribution of 7.5% to your retirement account.

This information is a general description of what you can expect as a participant in PARS ARS. The Plan Document provides a detailed description and contains all of the specific legal requirements of the plan. A copy of the plan document is available for review with your employer.

Enrollment in the PARS ARS Plan is automatic for eligible employees.

- 1) Each pay period, **6.2%** of your wages will be deducted from your pay and deposited into your PARS ARS account. Your contributions are made on a pre-tax basis.
- 2) Each pay period, your employer will also contribute the equivalent of **1.3%** of your wages to your PARS ARS account. Employer contributions are also made on a pre-tax basis.
- 3) Investment activity will be credited to your PARS ARS account based on your monthly account activity and will accumulate **tax-free** until your termination from the plan and the distribution of your account balance.

Designating a Beneficiary

- 1) In the event that you pass away while contributing to the PARS ARS Plan, your account balance will be distributed to your beneficiary.
- 2) If you are married at the time of your death, your spouse/registered domestic partner is automatically your beneficiary. If you wish to designate someone other than your spouse/registered domestic partner, you may do so by submitting a Designation of Beneficiary Form.

- 3) If you are unmarried at the time of your death, your account balance will be paid to your estate unless you have designated another beneficiary.
- 4) You may obtain a Designation of Beneficiary Form from your employer or from PARS.

Becoming Eligible for a Benefit

You (or your beneficiary in the event of your death) will be eligible to receive your PARS ARS account balance when one of the following events occurs:

- a. Termination of Employment
- b. Retirement
- c. Permanent and Total Disability
- d. Death
- e. Changed employment status to a position covered by another retirement system*

*If there have been no contributions into your PARS ARS account for two (2) years, you may be eligible for a distribution of your account.

Receiving Your Account Balance

- 1) When your employer notifies PARS that you are eligible for a distribution of your account, appropriate forms will be sent to you by mail. Within 90 days of PARS' receipt of all correctly completed forms, the account will be distributed.
- 2) Your distribution options are:
 - a. You may elect to receive a **one-time lump-sum cash payment**. If your account balance is greater than \$200, your distribution may be subject to federal and/or state income tax withholding. If you are under age 59½, your distribution may also be subject to an excise tax withholding.
 - b. You may defer tax withholding from your distribution by electing a **direct rollover** to an IRA or to an eligible employer plan that accepts rollovers (e.g. 403(b), 457(b), 401(k), etc.).
 - c. You may also split your distribution, taking part as cash & rolling over the other part.

For further information or for questions about your account, please contact PARS.

(800) 540-6369
Monday – Friday
8:30AM – 5:00PM Pacific Time
admin@pars.org

Designation of Beneficiary Form Public Agency Retirement Services (PARS)

Instructions:

1. Read carefully the rules for designating a beneficiary below, and sign in the spaces provided.
2. Complete the appropriate sections (Section 1 must be completed, see rules below regarding section 2) of this form and return it to:

Tustin Unified School District
Human Resources
300 South C Street
Tustin, CA 92780

Rules for Designation of Beneficiary:

1. It is your responsibility to keep your Designation of Beneficiary current.
2. You reserve the right to revoke or change your Designation of Beneficiary, subject to the other provisions of these Rules.
3. If, upon your death, there is no valid Designation of Beneficiary on file with the Trust Administrator, any death benefits which become due will be paid in accordance with the Plan Document.
4. The plan requires that if you are married, your surviving spouse/registered domestic partner will be your sole primary beneficiary, unless your spouse/registered domestic partner waives this right.
5. If you wish to designate a person or persons other than your spouse/registered domestic partner or in addition to your spouse/registered domestic partner, you must obtain the notarized consent of your spouse/registered domestic partner in writing on this form by completing Section 2. Failure to obtain your spouse/registered domestic partner's consent in these instances will render the designation invalid. Any consent by a spouse/registered domestic partner applies only to that spouse/registered domestic partner and not any future spouse/registered domestic partner. Therefore, if a new marriage occurs, a new Designation of Beneficiary form should be completed and the new spouse/registered domestic partner's consent must be obtained.
6. If the location of your spouse/registered domestic partner is unknown, you must attach to this form a notarized statement stating that your spouse/registered domestic partner cannot be located.
7. You are considered married if you are under decree of separate maintenance or decree of legal separation.
8. If you wish to have your PARS account distributed under the terms of a Living Trust, your PARS account must be mentioned by name in the Trust Document. If your current Living Trust does not contain specific reference to your PARS account, you may designate the Living Trust as a beneficiary using this form. All rules pertaining to the designation of a beneficiary apply to the designation of a Living Trust.

I have read and understand these rules.

Participant's Signature

Date

Section 1: Designating a Beneficiary

Participant Name: _____ SS#: _____

Participant Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone #: _____

Beneficiary #1 Percentage: _____ **Primary** **Secondary**

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Beneficiary #1 Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone #: _____

Beneficiary #2 Percentage: _____ **Primary** **Secondary**

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Beneficiary #2 Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone #: _____

Beneficiary #3 Percentage: _____ **Primary** **Secondary**

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Beneficiary #3 Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Phone #: _____

Participant's Signature

Date

Section 2: Spousal/Registered Domestic Partner Consent

I hereby consent to the above beneficiary designation of my spouse/domestic partner, a participant in this plan. I understand that in consenting to the designation of anyone except myself, I am waiving rights to a survivor benefit that I would be legally entitled to at a later date.

Spouse/Registered Domestic Partner's Signature:

Date:

Signature of Notary:

Date:

Statement Concerning Your Employment in a Job Not Covered by Social Security

Employee Name _____ Employee ID# _____

Employer Name _____ Employer ID# _____

Your earnings from this job are not covered under Social Security. When you retire, or if you become disabled, you may receive a pension based on earnings from this job. If you do, and you are also entitled to a benefit from Social Security based on either your own work or the work of your husband or wife, or former husband or wife, your pension may affect the amount of the Social Security benefit you receive. Your Medicare benefits, however, will not be affected. Under the Social Security law, there are two ways your Social Security benefit amount may be affected.

Windfall Elimination Provision

Under the Windfall Elimination Provision, your Social Security retirement or disability benefit is figured using a modified formula when you are also entitled to a pension from a job where you did not pay Social Security tax. As a result, you will receive a lower Social Security benefit than if you were not entitled to a pension from this job. For example, if you are age 62 in 2013, the maximum monthly reduction in your Social Security benefit as a result of this provision is \$395.50. This amount is updated annually. This provision reduces, but does not totally eliminate, your Social Security benefit. For additional information, please refer to Social Security Publication, "Windfall Elimination Provision."

Government Pension Offset Provision

Under the Government Pension Offset Provision, any Social Security spouse or widow(er) benefit to which you become entitled will be offset if you also receive a Federal, State or local government pension based on work where you did not pay Social Security tax. The offset reduces the amount of your Social Security spouse or widow(er) benefit by two-thirds of the amount of your pension.

For example, if you get a monthly pension of \$600 based on earnings that are not covered under Social Security, two-thirds of that amount, \$400, is used to offset your Social Security spouse or widow(er) benefit. If you are eligible for a \$500 widow(er) benefit, you will receive \$100 per month from Social Security (\$500 - \$400=\$100). Even if your pension is high enough to totally offset your spouse or widow(er) Social Security benefit, you are still eligible for Medicare at age 65. For additional information, please refer to Social Security Publication, "Government Pension Offset."

For More Information

Social Security publications and additional information, including information about exceptions to each provision, are available at www.socialsecurity.gov. You may also call toll free 1-800-772-1213, or for the deaf or hard of hearing call the TTY number 1-800-325-0778, or contact your local Social Security office.

I certify that I have received Form SSA-1945 that contains information about the possible effects of the Windfall Elimination Provision and the Government Pension Offset Provision on my potential future Social Security Benefits.

Signature of Employee _____ Date _____

Information about Social Security Form SSA-1945 Statement Concerning Your Employment in a Job Not Covered by Social Security

New legislation [Section 419(c) of Public Law 108-203, the Social Security Protection Act of 2004] requires State and local government employers to provide a statement to employees hired January 1, 2005 or later in a job not covered under Social Security. The statement explains how a pension from that job could affect future Social Security benefits to which they may become entitled.

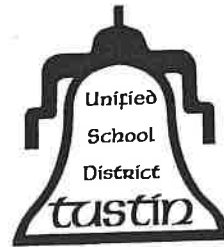
Form SSA-1945, **Statement Concerning Your Employment in a Job Not Covered by Social Security**, is the document that employers should use to meet the requirements of the law. The SSA-1945 explains the potential effects of two provisions in the Social Security law for workers who also receive a pension based on their work in a job not covered by Social Security. The Windfall Elimination Provision can affect the amount of a worker's Social Security retirement or disability benefit. The Government Pension Offset Provision can affect a Social Security benefit received as a spouse, surviving spouse, or an ex-spouse.

Employers must:

- Give the statement to the employee prior to the start of employment;
- Get the employee's signature on the form; and
- Submit a copy of the signed form to the pension paying agency.

Social Security will not be setting any additional guidelines for the use of this form.

Copies of the SSA-1945 are available online at the Social Security website, www.socialsecurity.gov/online/ssa-1945.pdf. Paper copies can be requested by email at ofsm.oswm.rqct.orders@ssa.gov or by fax at 410-965-2037. The request must include the name, complete address and telephone number of the employer. Forms will not be sent to a post office box. Also, if appropriate, include the name of the person to whom the forms are to be delivered. The forms are available in packages of 25. Please refer to Inventory Control Number (ICN) 276950 when ordering.



TO: TUSD Substitute Teacher

FROM: Personnel Services

SUBJECT: Notification of Reasonable Assurance

Welcome to Tustin Unified School District! You are hereby notified that you have reasonable assurance of returning to work in a substitute capacity at the close of all holiday and recess periods during the current school year. The District's expectation is that you will be able and available to work multiple days per month and that you will maintain the Frontline Absence Management calendar to keep us apprised of your availability.

Employee Name (PRINT first & Last Name)

Employee Signature

Date



Employment Eligibility Verification
Department of Homeland Security
 U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS
Form I-9
 OMB No. 1615-0047
 Expires 10/31/2022

▶ **START HERE:** Read instructions carefully before completing this form. The instructions must be available, either in paper or electronically, during completion of this form. Employers are liable for errors in the completion of this form.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE: It is illegal to discriminate against work-authorized individuals. Employers **CANNOT** specify which document(s) an employee may present to establish employment authorization and identity. The refusal to hire or continue to employ an individual because the documentation presented has a future expiration date may also constitute illegal discrimination.

Section 1. Employee Information and Attestation *(Employees must complete and sign Section 1 of Form I-9 no later than the first day of employment, but not before accepting a job offer.)*

Last Name (Family Name)		First Name (Given Name)		Middle Initial	Other Last Names Used (if any)	
Address (Street Number and Name)			Apt. Number	City or Town		State ZIP Code
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	U.S. Social Security Number □□□□ - □□ - □□□□		Employee's E-mail Address			Employee's Telephone Number

I am aware that federal law provides for imprisonment and/or fines for false statements or use of false documents in connection with the completion of this form.

I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I am (check one of the following boxes):

<input type="checkbox"/> 1. A citizen of the United States	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. A noncitizen national of the United States <i>(See instructions)</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. A lawful permanent resident (Alien Registration Number/USCIS Number): _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> 4. An alien authorized to work until (expiration date, if applicable, mm/dd/yyyy): _____ Some aliens may write "N/A" in the expiration date field. <i>(See instructions)</i>	
<p><i>Aliens authorized to work must provide only one of the following document numbers to complete Form I-9: An Alien Registration Number/USCIS Number OR Form I-94 Admission Number OR Foreign Passport Number.</i></p> <p>1. Alien Registration Number/USCIS Number: _____ OR 2. Form I-94 Admission Number: _____ OR 3. Foreign Passport Number: _____ Country of Issuance: _____</p>	
QR Code - Section 1 Do Not Write In This Space	

Signature of Employee	Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Preparer and/or Translator Certification (check one):
 I did not use a preparer or translator. A preparer(s) and/or translator(s) assisted the employee in completing Section 1.
(Fields below must be completed and signed when preparers and/or translators assist an employee in completing Section 1.)

I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have assisted in the completion of Section 1 of this form and that to the best of my knowledge the information is true and correct.

Signature of Preparer or Translator		Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
Last Name (Family Name)		First Name (Given Name)	
Address (Street Number and Name)		City or Town	State ZIP Code

STOP *Employer Completes Next Page* **STOP**




Employment Eligibility Verification
Department of Homeland Security
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

USCIS
Form I-9
 OMB No. 1615-0047
 Expires 10/31/2022

Section 2. Employer or Authorized Representative Review and Verification

(Employers or their authorized representative must complete and sign Section 2 within 3 business days of the employee's first day of employment. You must physically examine one document from List A OR a combination of one document from List B and one document from List C as listed on the "Lists of Acceptable Documents.")

Employee Info from Section 1	Last Name (Family Name)	First Name (Given Name)	M.I.	Citizenship/Immigration Status
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List A Identity and Employment Authorization	OR	List B Identity	AND	List C Employment Authorization
Document Title		Document Title		Document Title
Issuing Authority		Issuing Authority		Issuing Authority
Document Number		Document Number		Document Number
Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)		Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)		Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)
Document Title		Additional Information		QR Code - Section 2 Do Not Write In This Space 
Issuing Authority				
Document Number				
Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)				
Document Title				
Issuing Authority				
Document Number				
Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)				

Certification: I attest, under penalty of perjury, that (1) I have examined the document(s) presented by the above-named employee, (2) the above-listed document(s) appear to be genuine and to relate to the employee named, and (3) to the best of my knowledge the employee is authorized to work in the United States.

The employee's first day of employment (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ (See instructions for exemptions)

Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative		Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Title of Employer or Authorized Representative	
Last Name of Employer or Authorized Representative		First Name of Employer or Authorized Representative	Employer's Business or Organization Name Tustin Unified School District	
Employer's Business or Organization Address (Street Number and Name) 300 South C Street		City or Town Tustin	State CA	ZIP Code 92780

Section 3. Reverification and Rehires (To be completed and signed by employer or authorized representative.)

A. New Name (if applicable)			B. Date of Rehire (if applicable)	
Last Name (Family Name)	First Name (Given Name)	Middle Initial	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	

C. If the employee's previous grant of employment authorization has expired, provide the information for the document or receipt that establishes continuing employment authorization in the space provided below.

Document Title	Document Number	Expiration Date (if any) (mm/dd/yyyy)
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I attest, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of my knowledge, this employee is authorized to work in the United States, and if the employee presented document(s), the document(s) I have examined appear to be genuine and to relate to the individual.

Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative	Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Name of Employer or Authorized Representative
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LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS
All documents must be UNEXPIRED

Employees may present one selection from List A
or a combination of one selection from List B and one selection from List C.

LIST A Documents that Establish Both Identity and Employment Authorization	OR	LIST B Documents that Establish Identity	AND	LIST C Documents that Establish Employment Authorization
1. U.S. Passport or U.S. Passport Card		1. Driver's license or ID card issued by a State or outlying possession of the United States provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address		1. A Social Security Account Number card, unless the card includes one of the following restrictions: (1) NOT VALID FOR EMPLOYMENT (2) VALID FOR WORK ONLY WITH INS AUTHORIZATION (3) VALID FOR WORK ONLY WITH DHS AUTHORIZATION
2. Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form I-551)		2. ID card issued by federal, state or local government agencies or entities, provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address		2. Certification of report of birth issued by the Department of State (Forms DS-1350, FS-545, FS-240)
3. Foreign passport that contains a temporary I-551 stamp or temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine-readable immigrant visa		3. School ID card with a photograph		3. Original or certified copy of birth certificate issued by a State, county, municipal authority, or territory of the United States bearing an official seal
4. Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form I-766)		4. Voter's registration card		4. Native American tribal document
5. For a nonimmigrant alien authorized to work for a specific employer because of his or her status: a. Foreign passport; and b. Form I-94 or Form I-94A that has the following: (1) The same name as the passport; and (2) An endorsement of the alien's nonimmigrant status as long as that period of endorsement has not yet expired and the proposed employment is not in conflict with any restrictions or limitations identified on the form.		5. U.S. Military card or draft record		5. U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197)
		6. Military dependent's ID card		6. Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)
		7. U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card		7. Employment authorization document issued by the Department of Homeland Security
		8. Native American tribal document		
		9. Driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority		
6. Passport from the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) or the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) with Form I-94 or Form I-94A indicating nonimmigrant admission under the Compact of Free Association Between the United States and the FSM or RMI		For persons under age 18 who are unable to present a document listed above:		
		10. School record or report card		
		11. Clinic, doctor, or hospital record		
	12. Day-care or nursery school record			

Examples of many of these documents appear in the Handbook for Employers (M-274).

Refer to the instructions for more information about acceptable receipts.

PERSONAL INFORMATION		
Last Name:	First Name:	Number & Street:
Birth date:		City:
Social Security Number (optional):		State: Zip:
School/Department:	Home #:	Cell #:
Medical Insurance Carrier:		Policy No.:
Name, address, and phone number of doctor preferred in case of illness or emergency (or indicate "school's choice")		
Name, address, and phone number of hospital preferred in case of illness or emergency (or indicate "school's choice")		
List any serious health problems (i.e. known allergies, RH Factor, blood type, etc.)		
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S) ARE TO BE NOTIFIED		
Name	Home Address:	Home #: _____ Cell #: _____
Relationship	Work Address:	Work #: _____ Other #: _____
Name	Home Address:	Home #: _____ Cell #: _____
Relationship	Work Address:	Work #: _____ Other #: _____
SIGNATURE		
Employee Signature:		Date:



TUSTIN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

ETHNIC IDENTITY
(Optional)

NAME: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

POSITION: _____ Date: _____

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|---|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaskan Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Korean | <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to State | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander-Hawaiian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Asian Indian | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Laotian | <input type="checkbox"/> Filipino | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander-Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Cambodian | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander-Samoan |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Chinese | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Vietnamese | <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander-Tahitian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Hmong | <input type="checkbox"/> Black | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander-Guamanian | <input type="checkbox"/> White |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian-Japanese | | | |

***OATH OF ALLEGIANCE FOR SCHOOL BOARD
MEMBERS AND DISTRICT EMPLOYEES***

I, _____ ,
(type or print name)

do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservations of purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

X _____
Signature of Employee

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 201__.

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

Tustin Unified School District

SEXUAL HARASSMENT

Board Policy 4116.3

1. Sexual harassment of or by any employee shall not be tolerated. The Board of Education considers sexual harassment to be a significant offense, which will result in disciplinary action or dismissal for the offending employee.
2. "Sexual Harassment" means any unwelcome sexual advance, unwelcome requests for sexual favors, or other unwelcome verbal, visual, or physical conduct of a sexual nature made by someone from or in the educational or work setting, whether it occurs between individuals of the same sex or individuals of opposite sexes, under any of the following conditions:
 - a. Submission to the conduct is explicitly or implicitly made a term or a condition of an individual's academic status, employment, or progress.
 - b. Submission to, or rejection of, the conduct by the individual is used as the basis of academic or employment decisions affecting the individual.
 - c. The conduct has the purpose or effect of having a negative impact upon the individual's academic performance, work, or progress or has the purpose or effect of creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive educational or working environment. The conduct is sufficiently severe, persistent, pervasive or objectively offensive, so as to create a hostile or abusive educational or working environment or to limit the individual's ability to participate in or benefit from an education program or activity.
 - d. Submission to, or rejection of, the conduct by the individual is used as the basis for any decision affecting the individual regarding benefits and services, honors, programs, or activities available at or through the local agency.
3. "Verbal Sexual Harassment" includes, but is not limited to, unwelcome epithets, comments, or slurs of a sexual nature.
4. "Physical Sexual Harassment" includes, but is not limited to, assault, impeding or blocking movement, or any physical interference with work or school activities or movement when directed at an individual on the basis of sex.
5. "Visual Sexual Harassment" includes, but is not limited to, derogatory posters, cartoons, drawings, obscene gestures, or computer-generated images of a sexual nature.
6. "Educational Environment" includes, but is not limited to, the following:
 - a. The campus or school grounds of the local agency.
 - b. Properties controlled or owned by the local agency.
 - c. Off-campus, if such activity is sponsored by the local agency, or is conducted by organizations sponsored by or under the jurisdiction of the local agency.

7. Employees placed on notice by their co-employee directly or through the supervisor that conduct of a sexual nature is unwelcome shall cease such conduct immediately. Any conduct of a sexual nature following such notice may be determined to be sexual harassment. Such conduct is subject to investigation by the District on the complaint of an individual who believes it to be unwelcome.
8. Sexual harassment shall be reported to the immediate supervisor, and/or the Chief Personnel Officer or Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources, and/or the Superintendent. The Superintendent/designee shall commence an investigation of the complaint.
9. Any employees who have knowledge of conduct by another employee, volunteer, or individual in the school community, which may constitute sexual harassment of students or employees are required to immediately report such conduct to any of the individuals specified in this policy. In addition, any employee who is aware of conduct in violation of this policy shall immediately report such conduct to a designated administrator.
10. Employees are hereby placed on notice that if they engage in acts which the District determines to be acts of sexual harassment, such acts are outside of the scope and course of their employment. Such conduct may result in the employee having to obtain his/her own legal counsel, and sexual harassment or unlawful discrimination may result in a money judgment against the employee personally.

An employee who feels that he/she is being subjected to sexual harassment is encouraged to immediately report the incident to the immediate supervisor of the accused employee or the Chief Personnel Officer or Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources, Tustin Unified School District, 300 South C Street, Tustin, CA 92780, (714) 730-7301 extension 328.

I have read the forgoing statements regarding sexual harassment and understand the provisions.

Employee's Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Tustin Unified School District
300 So. C Street
Tustin, CA 92780*

To: All New Employees

Re: Awareness and Responsibility Regarding the Filing of Necessary Child Abuse Reports

Penal Code Section 11166.5

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 11166.5 any person who is employed as a child care custodian or with a child protective agency (this includes all school district employees) must, prior to employment, sign a statement that they have knowledge of the provisions of Penal Code Section 11166.

Section 11166 of the Penal Code requires any child care custodian, medical practitioner, non-medical practitioner, employee of a child protective who has knowledge of or observes a child in his/her professional capacity, or within the scope of his/her employment who he/she knows or reasonably suspects has been the victim of child abuse, **to report the known or suspected instance of child abuse to a child protective agency immediately, or as soon as practically possible by telephone, and to prepare and send a written report thereof within thirty-six (36) hours of receiving the information concerning the incident.** An optional fax report using the state approved form may be made immediately or as soon as possible in lieu of the telephone written report.

The District supports the legal rights of employees to report child abuse confidentially without disclosing one's identity or content of the report to anyone other than a child protective agency. When an employee desires assistance in the reporting process, the principal/administrator designee will provide for a collaborative effort according to the employee's needs, respect for employee confidentiality, and without interference. Such collaboration may include, but is not limited to, discussion/assistance regarding employee welfare, student welfare, methods of identifying and reporting suspected/observed child abuse, and the appropriate person for making the report when two or more people have knowledge of the abuse incident.

I have read the foregoing statement regarding Penal Code Section 11166 and understand its provisions.

Employee Signature

Date

Employee Name (Please Print) _____

Tustin Unified School District
300 So. C Street
Tustin, CA 92780

DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY

As provided in Section 53245 of the California Government Code, in the event of my death, I hereby designate the following person to receive all warrants or checks that will be payable to me from the Tustin Unified School District.

Name of Designee: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

In the event that the person indicated above predeceases me, I hereby designate the following person as a secondary beneficiary.

Name of Designee: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

This designation form cancels and replaces any designation previously signed for this purpose and shall remain in effect until cancelled in writing.

On sufficient proof of identity, the appointing power shall release the warrants or checks to the above designee. The designee who receives a warrant or check is entitled to an explanation of payment.

Employee: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Note: It is important that this form be updated when changes occur that would affect the designation of beneficiary



In order to complete the mandatory online trainings, you must register as a new user on the ASCIP platform. Click on the link below to begin registration:

<https://www.ascip-elearn.org/learn/signin>

Sign In
Please enter your username and password to login

Keep me logged in

Forgot your password?

New user? Register

Click on “New user? Register”

Register
Begin your new learning experience by simply filling out this form.

1 User Profile 2 Additional Fields

I accept the terms of the privacy policy [View Privacy Policy](#) (Required)

Already registered? [Sign In](#)

Select a username that follows this sequence: 087jsmith (087+first letter of first name+full last name).

Input the email address, your first name, and last name.

For your password, use Tustin.

For the language select English.

FOR THE BRANCH NAME, YOU MUST SCROLL DOWN AND FIND TUSTIN UNIFIED.

Click on the box to accept the terms, then click “Next”.

Register

Begin your new learning experience by simply filling out this form.

 User Profile

 Additional Fields

Site

Department

Position

Already registered? [Sign In](#)

[PREVIOUS](#)


[REGISTER](#)

In the next registration box, fill out your site, department, and position, then click “Register”.

Once you login, on the top left, click on the icon circled in red (once you hover, it will say “User menu”).



Once you see the menu click on “Course Catalog”.

 My Courses and Learning Plans

 My Activities

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 **Course Catalog**

In the “search” bar, type the names of the trainings that apply to your position with TUSD. See page 4 and page 5 for the list of the trainings.



Once you find and click on the applicable training, click on the green “Enroll” button on the right.



A message will appear that says you have enrolled successfully. Click on “Start Learning Now” to begin that training.

You've been enrolled successfully

California AB1432 Mandated Reporter Training 2022 has been added to your learning activity.

[CLOSE](#) [VIEW MY COURSES](#) [START LEARNING NOW](#)

A page will pop up that says “Disclaimer”. You must click on “Begin the Test” before you start viewing the course.



[BEGIN THE TEST](#)

A disclaimer will pop up for you to read and in order to continue. You must click on the green “Submit (Test Completed)” button at the bottom of the page:

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[LEAVE TEST](#) [SUBMIT TEST COMPLETED](#)

A box will appear that says “Passed”, you will need to click on “Next Activity”:



The page will take you back to the home page where you will see the training that you added. Click on the training again and it will take you to the page to begin listening to the modules. Click on the green “Start Tutorial” to begin:

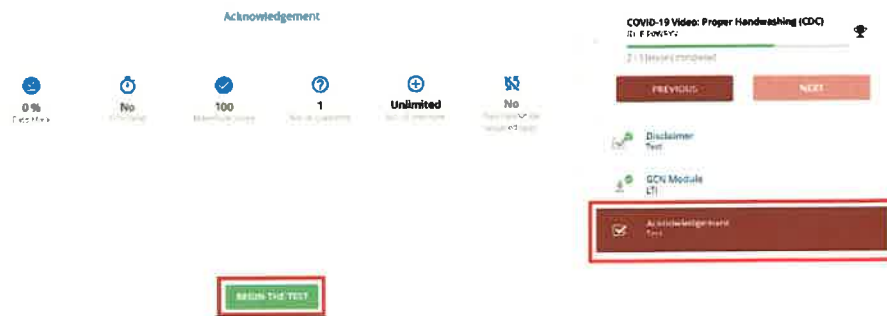
[START TUTORIAL](#)

Once you begin a training be sure to logout properly using the logout button or back to listing button.

Once you are finished with all of the slides, click on “Submit”.



You will then be taken back to the Acknowledgement section where you will click on “Acknowledgement” on the right side and then click on green button “Begin the Test”.



An acknowledgement will pop up for you to read and in order to continue. You must click on the green “Submit (Test Completed)” button at the bottom of the page:



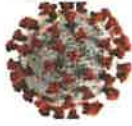
Once you complete these steps, you will see on the right side that you can download your certificate in order to print the copy.



Please review each training listed to see if they apply to you.



This training is for ALL employees.



COVID-19 Video: Proper Handwashing (CDC)

ENROLLED
EN | 03m 00s

E-Learning

This training is for ALL employees.



Suicide Prevention (GCN)

EN | 14m 00s ★ 4.0

E-Learning

This training is for certificated staff.



Sexual Harassment and Discrimination - California Employees (SB1343)

EN | 1h 00m ★ 4.0

E-Learning

This training is only for Non-Management.



California AB1825 Sexual Harassment Training for Managers/Supervisors

EN | 2h 00m ★ 5.0

E-Learning

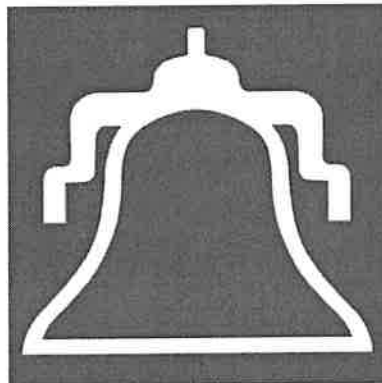
This training is only for Management.



Athens Administrators

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The Facts About Workers' Compensation

Pre-designation Of Personal Physician

In the event you sustain an injury or illness related to your employment, you may be treated for such injury/illness by your personal medical doctor (M.D) or doctor of osteopathic medicine (D.O.) or medical group if: You have health care insurance for injuries/illness that are not work related, the doctor is your regular physician, who shall be either a physician who has limited his or her practice of medicine to general practice or who is a board-certified or board-eligible internist, pediatrician, obstetrician-gynecologist, or family practitioner, and has previously directed your medical treatment, and retains your medical records; your "personal physician" may be a medical group if it is a single corporation or partnership composed of licensed doctors of medicine or osteopathy, which operates an integrated multispecialty medical group providing comprehensive medical services predominantly for non-occupational illnesses and injuries; prior to the injury your doctor agrees to treat you for work injuries or illnesses; prior to the injury you provided your employer the following in writing: (1) notice that you want your personal doctor to treat you for a work-related injury/illness, and (2) your personal doctor's name and business address.

You may use this form, a form provided by your employer or provide all the information in writing to notify your employer if you wish to have your personal medical doctor or a doctor of osteopathic medicine to treat you for a work-related injury/illness and the above requirements are met.

Notice of Pre-designation Of Personal Physician Employee: Complete this section

Employer: _____

If I have a work-related injury or illness, I choose to be treated by: _____

(Name of doctor) (MD, DD, or medical group)

(street address, city state, zip)

(telephone number)

Employee Name (Please Print): _____

Employee Address: _____

Name of insurance Company, Plan or Fund providing health coverage for non-occupational injuries or illnesses:

Employee Signature: _____ Date: ____ \ ____ \ ____

Note to Employee: Unless you agree in writing, neither your employer nor Athens Administrators may contact your personal physician to confirm a pre-designation. If your physician does not sign this form, other documentation that they agreed to be pre-designated prior to the injury will be required. If you agree, your employer or Athens Administrators may contact your personal physician to confirm this pre-designation, sign and date below:

Employee Signature: _____ Date: ____ \ ____ \ ____

Employee #: _____

Physician: I agree to this Pre-designation:

Signature: _____ Date: ____ \ ____ \ ____
(Physician or Designated Employee of the Physician)

The physician is not required to sign this form, however, if the physician or designated employee of the physician or medical group does not sign, other documentation of the physician's agreement to be pre-designated will be required pursuant to Title 8, California Code of Regulations, section 9780.1(a)(3). (Optional DWC Form 9783 July 1, 2019)



When a work injury occurs:

- Quickly seek first aid.
- Call 9-1-1 for help immediately if emergency medical care is needed.
- Immediately report injuries to your supervisor.

Athens MPN Information:**MPN Website:**

<https://www.medexadvantage.com/athens/>

MPN effective date: 07/01/2021

MPN ID: 2437

For help locating a MPN physician, call your MPN access assistant at:
(888) 509-1474

For MPN questions, call:

(866) 482-3535

Or email lfarlander@athensmci.com

Information & Assistance Office:

2 MacArthur Place, Suite 600

Santa Ana, CA 92707

(714) 558-4597

What is workers' compensation? Its purpose is to insure that an employee who is found to sustain an industrial injury or illness will be provided with benefits to medically cure or relieve them from the effects of the injury/illness, provide temporary compensation when they are medically unable to perform any occupational function, compensation for any residual handicap and/or impairment of bodily function, benefits for dependents if an employee dies as a result of an injury/illness, protection from discrimination by his/her employer because of the injury/illness.

Am I Covered? Nearly every person employed in California is protected by workers' compensation, however there are a few exceptions. People that are self-employed or volunteer workers may not be covered. Similar laws cover federal and maritime workers. Athens Administrators Risk Services Group (Athens Administrators) is your employer's claims administrator. Your employer or Athens Administrators can answer any questions you might have about coverage.

What Does Workers' Compensation Cover? If you have an injury/illness due to your job, it is covered. The cause can be a single event, like a fall or it can be due to repeated exposures, such as hearing loss due to constant loud noise. Injuries ranging from first-aid to serious accidents are covered. Even injuries related to a workplace crime, such as psychological or physical injuries, are covered under workers' compensation. Some injuries that result from voluntary activity, such as off duty social or athletic activities may not be covered. Check with your employer or Athens Administrators if you have questions. Coverage begins the moment you start your job. There is no probationary period or wage rate.

Duty Of The Employee. Immediately notify your employer or Athens Administrators so you can get the medical help that you need without delay. If your injury is greater than a first-aid injury, your supervisor will give you a Claim Form (Form DWC-1) for you to describe where, when and how it happened. To submit a claim, fill out the "Employee" section of the DWC-1. Keep one copy of this form and give the remaining pages to your supervisor. Your employer will fill out the "Employer" section and return a signed and dated copy of the form to you. Your employer will keep a copy of this form and forward another to Athens Administrators. Athens Administrators is in charge of handling your claim and informing you about your eligibility for benefits.



Your claim benefits do not start until your employer knows about your injury, so report and file the DWC-1 as quickly as possible. California law requires your employer to authorize medical treatment within one working day of receipt of your Claim Form. Employers are liable for up to \$10,000 in treatment pending a decision by Athens Administrators for a claim to be accepted or rejected. Waiting to report may delay workers' compensation benefits. You may not receive benefits if you fail to file a claim within one year of the date of injury, the date you know the injury was work related, or the date benefits were last provided.

Duty of the Employer: Provide this form to every employee at the time of hire or by the end of their first pay period.

Within one working day, upon knowledge or notice from any source of a work injury/illness greater than first-aid, provide the employee with a Claim Form (DWC-1) and authorize medical treatment and report the claim to Athens Administrators Risk Services Group.

What are the benefits? You may be entitled to various kinds of benefits under California workers' compensation law including:

Medical Care: Medical treatment that is reasonably required to cure or relieve the injured worker from the effects of the injury/illness. There is no deductible or co-payment. These medical benefits may include lab tests, physical therapy, hospital services, medication and treatment by a doctor. State law limits certain medical services as of January 1, 2004. You should never receive a medical bill. If additional treatment is necessary, Athens Administrators will coordinate medical care that meets applicable treatment guidelines for the injury. The doctor may be a specialist for your specific type of injury, and he or she will be familiar with workers' compensation requirements and will report promptly to Athens Administrators so your benefits can be paid.

The physician with overall responsibility for treating your injury/illness is your primary treating physician (PTP). The PTP decides what kind of medical care you need and if you have work restrictions. If necessary, the PTP will review your job description with you and your employer to define any limitation or restrictions that you may have. This doctor also is responsible for coordinating care between other medical providers and will write reports about any permanent impairment of bodily function(s) or the need for future medical care. Generally, your employer selects the PTP you will see for the first 30 days, but if you want to change doctors for any reason, ask your employer or Athens Administrators. They're as interested as you are in your prompt recovery and return to work and will select a different doctor for you. If your employer has a Medical Provider Network (MPN) you will be directed to treat with a physician within the MPN and different rules apply regarding changing your physician.

You can be treated by your personal physician or medical group immediately if you have health care insurance for injuries or illness that are not work related, and your physician agrees in advance to treat you for any work injuries/illnesses and has previously directed your treatment and retains your medical records and agrees, prior to your injury/illness, to treat you for workplace injuries/illnesses and you gave your employer your physician's name and address in writing before the injury. You may use the form inside of this pamphlet or your employer may have a form for you to use.

If you give the name of your personal chiropractor or acupuncturist, different rules apply, and you may need to see an employer-selected physician first.

Temporary Disability Benefits: If you are not medically able to work for more than three days due to your work-related injury, counting weekends, you have a right to temporary disability (TD) payments to assist substituting your lost wages. After two weeks from reporting the injury, you will receive a check. If your employer has a salary continuation plan, your benefit may be included in your regular paycheck. TD is payable every 14 days until the doctor states you can return to work (Payments won't be made for the first three days, though, unless you're



hospitalized as an inpatient or unable to work more than 14 days). The amount of the payments will be two-thirds of your average wage, subject to minimums and maximums set by the state legislature. Although the TD payment will not be the full amount of your regular paycheck, there are no deductions and the payments are tax-free. For injuries occurring on or after January 1, 2008, TD payments are limited to 104 compensable weeks within five years of date of injury. For a few long-term injuries such as chronic lung disease or severe burns, TD payments can last up to 240 weeks within five years from the date of injury. If you reach the maximum TD payment period before you can return to work or before your condition becomes permanent and stationary, See the "Other Benefits" section of this pamphlet for additional information. A timely filing with Employment Development Department may result in additional State Disability benefits when TD benefits are delayed, denied, or terminated.

Permanent Disability: If your doctor says your injury will always leave you with some permanent impairment of bodily function(s), you may receive permanent disability (PD) payments. The amount depends on the doctor's report, how much of the PD was directly caused by your work, and factors such as your age, occupation, type of injury, and date of injury. State law determines minimum and maximum amounts, and they vary by injury date.

If you are entitled to PD, Athens Administrators will send you a letter explaining how the benefit was calculated. If the injury causes PD, the first payment of PD benefits is made within 14 days after the last payment of TD, unless your employer has offered you a position that pays at least 85% of your date of injury wages or if you are returned to a position that pays you 100% of the wages and, compensation paid to you on the date of injury, the PD would be paid after an Award issues.

Supplemental Job Displacement Benefit (SJDB): If you have a permanent whole person impairment, the eligibility for SJDB begins when your employer does not offer regular work, permanent, modified, or alternative work within 60 days of the receipt of a doctor's Medical Maximum Improvement (MMI) report. This is a nontransferable voucher for education-related retraining and/or skill development at state-approved schools, tools, licensing, certification fees and other resources as possible benefits. If you qualify for the supplemental job displacement benefit, Athens Administrators will provide a voucher up to a maximum of \$6,000.

Death Benefits: If the injury/illness causes death, payments may be made to your dependents. State law sets these benefits and the total benefit depends on the number of dependents. The payments are made at the same rate as TD payments. In addition, workers' compensation provides a burial allowance.

Discrimination: It is a violation of Labor Code Section 132(a) and illegal for your employer to punish or fire you for having a workplace injury/illness, for filing a claim or for testifying in another person's workers' compensation case. If your employer is found guilty of discrimination, you would be entitled to increased benefits, reinstatement and reimbursement for lost wages and benefits.

Other Benefits: Sometimes people confuse workers' compensation with State Disability Insurance (SDI). Workers' compensation covers on-the-job injuries/illnesses and is paid for by your employer or their insurance. On the other hand, SDI covers off-the-job injuries or sicknesses, and is paid for by deductions from your paycheck. If you are not getting workers' compensation benefits, you may be able to get State Disability benefits. Contact the local office of the State Employment Development Department listed in the government pages of your phone book for more information.

You may be eligible to access the return-to-work fund, for the purposes of making supplemental payments to injured workers whose PD benefits are disproportionately low in comparison to their earnings loss. If you have questions or think you qualify, contact the Information & Assistance office listed in this pamphlet or visit the DIR website at: www.dir.ca.gov.



If You Still Have Questions... ask your supervisor or employer representative. Or contact Athens Administrators at the number indicated on workers' compensation posters at work and on this brochure. You can also contact the State Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) and speak with an Information and Assistance Officer. These officers are available to review problems, answer questions and provide additional written information about workers' compensation at no charge. The local office is listed below and posted at your work-place. You can also call 800-736-7401 or visit the DWC website at: <http://www.dir.ca.gov/dwc>.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION FRAUD IS A FELONY

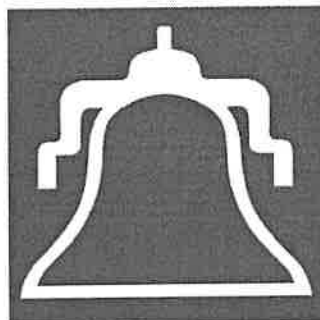
Anyone who makes or causes to be made any knowingly false or fraudulent material statement for the purpose of obtaining or denying workers' compensation benefits or payments is guilty of a felony. Fines can be up to \$150,000 and imprisonment up to five years.





CHOOSING MEDICAL CARE
For Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses

TUSTIN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
ATHENS MPN



For questions regarding your workers' compensation claim:

Mailing Address:

Post Office Box 696
Concord, CA 94522-0696

Toll Free:

(866) 482-3535

Visit:

www.Athensadmin.com

WHAT IF I AM BEING TREATED BY A TUSD-ATHENS MPN DOCTOR AND THEY LEAVE THE MPN?

Your employer or insurer has a written Continuity of Care Policy that provides for a system that may allow you to complete your medical treatment when your treating doctor is no longer actively participating in TUSD-ATHENS MPN.

If you are being treated for a work-related injury in TUSD-ATHENS MPN and your doctor no longer has a contract with the MPN, your doctor may be allowed to continue to treat you if your injury or illness meets one of the following conditions:

(Acute) The treatment for your injury or illness will be completed within 90 days;

(Serious) Your injury or illness is one that is serious and persists over at least 90 days without full cure or worsens and requires ongoing treatment. You may be allowed to be treated by your current treating doctor for up to one year from the contract termination date, until a safe transfer of care can be made.

(Terminal) You have an incurable illness or irreversible condition that is likely to cause death within one year or less.

(Pending Surgery) You already have a surgery or other procedure that has been authorized by your employer or insurer that will occur within 180 days of the contract's termination date.

If any of the above conditions exist, TUSD-ATHENS MPN may require your doctor to agree in writing to the same terms they agreed to when they were a provider in TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network.

If they do not, they may not be able to continue to treat you. If the contract with your doctor was terminated or not renewed by TUSD-ATHENS MPN for reasons relating to medical disciplinary cause or reason, fraud or criminal activity, you will not be allowed to complete treatment with that doctor.

If you wish to receive a complete copy of your employer's Transfer of Care Policy, you may call the designated MPN Contact Person.

WHAT IF I NEED HELP?

You may always contact the persons previously listed for more help or explanation about your medical treatment if you have a work-related injury or illness. Also, if you have concerns, complaints or questions regarding a specific MPN or the notification process or your medical treatment after a work-related injury or illness, you can contact:

**Information and Assistance Officer
at the Division of Workers' Compensation
1.800.736.7401**

California law requires your employer to provide and pay for medical treatment if you are injured at work. Your employer has chosen to provide this medical care by using a Workers' Compensation Physician Network called a **Medical Provider Network (MPN)**. This form gives you information about the MPN program and describes your rights in choosing medical care for work related injuries and illnesses.

WHAT IS AN MPN?

A Medical Provider Network (MPN) is an entity or group of providers that has been approved by the State of California Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC) to provide health care to workers who are injured on the job.

MPNs must meet the quality and service standards set by the Division of Workers' Compensation. They must have health care providers who understand the workers' compensation system and occupational health care. TUSD-ATHENS MPN will make sure that you have medical treatment available at reasonable times if you have a work-related injury or illness. All medical treatment will be in accordance with the medical standards approved by the DWC.



HOW DO I FIND OUT WHICH DOCTORS ARE IN MY MPN?

You may access the doctors in the network by visiting:

Website: <http://www.medexadvantage.com/athens/>

MPN #: **2437**

Effective Date: **7/1/2021**

The insurance company has designated the following person to be the MPN contact for all employees. They will tell you how to review, receive or access the names of the doctors in your network.

Contact Title: **Medical Access Assistant**

Telephone: **(888) 509-1474**

Email: MAA@medexhco.com

Your employer's workers' compensation representative has access to this listing in hard copy and online formats. In addition, you may contact **TUSD-ATHENS MPN** if you have any questions, or cannot locate a copy of your MPN list of doctors:

ATHENS WORKERS' COMPENSATIONSM

Telephone: **(866) 482-3535**

WHAT IF I GET INJURED AT WORK?

When you notify your employer or insurer that you have had a work-related injury, your employer or insurer will arrange an appointment with a doctor in TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network. After this first visit, you may continue to be treated by this doctor, or you may choose another doctor **from the MPN Network that treats your type of injury**, and you may continue to choose doctors within TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network for all of your medical care for this injury. If appropriate, you may also ask for a referral to a specialist. If you need help in choosing a doctor or seeing a specialist, or if you are having trouble getting an appointment with a MPN provider, you may contact one of the people previously listed.

TUSD-ATHENS MPN has at least **three (3)** physicians of each specialty expected to treat common injuries based on the type of occupation or industry in which you are engaged.

TUSD-ATHENS MPN has a primary treating physician and a hospital for emergency health services, or if separate from such hospital, a provider of all emergency health care services, within **thirty (30)** minutes or **fifteen (15)** miles of your residence or workplace.

TUSD-ATHENS MPN has providers of occupational health services and specialties within **sixty (60)** minutes or **thirty (30)** miles from your residence or workplace. For workers traveling within California but outside the MPN network, if non-emergency medical care is needed, call the MPN contact for a list of accessible providers or for authorization to go to a non-MPN provider if a MPN provider is not accessible.

If you require treatment in a rural area, alternative access standards shall apply. Under these standards, the MPN shall arrange or approve non-emergency medical care from physicians within or outside of the MPN. The MPN shall ensure the availability of three (3) such physicians, who shall be available to you for treatment, or for obtaining a second or third opinion if requested. The MPN shall ensure that all services shall be available and accessible at reasonable times to all covered employees.

The MPN shall arrange or approve non-emergency medical care from physicians outside of the MPN for:

- A.** Covered employees authorized by the employer to temporarily work or travel for work outside the MPN geographic service area when the need for medical care arises;
- B.** Former employees whose employer has ongoing workers' compensation obligations and who permanently reside outside the MPN geographic service area;



C. Injured employees who decide to temporarily reside outside the MPN geographic service area during recovery. The MPN shall ensure the availability of at least three (3) such physicians who have either been referred by the employee's primary care physician within the MPN or have been selected by the MPN, and who shall be available for treatment, or for obtaining a second or third opinion if requested by the injured worker. These referred physicians shall be located within the MPN access standards as found in this application.

For non-emergency services, the MPN shall ensure that an appointment for initial treatment is available within three (3) business days of the MPN's receipt of a request for treatment within the MPN. For non-emergency specialist services, the MPN shall ensure that an appointment is available within twenty (20) business days of the MPN's receipt of a referral to a specialist within the MPN.

If your primary care physician refers you to a type of specialist not included in the MPN, you may select a specialist from outside the MPN. Injured employees shall be able to receive emergency health care services from a medical service or hospital provider who is not a member of the MPN.

WHAT IF I DO NOT AGREE WITH MY DOCTOR?

If you do not agree with either the **diagnosis or treatment** prescribed by your doctor, you may ask for a second and third opinion from doctors within TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network.

If you wish to get a **second opinion**, you must contact the person from your employer or insurer listed above and tell them you wish to get a second opinion. The contact person will make sure you have a list of MPN doctors to choose from. Then you may choose a doctor from TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network and make an appointment **within 60 days**. You must tell the employer or contact person of your appointment date.

If you do not make an appointment within 60 days, you may no longer get a second opinion. If the second opinion doctor feels that your injury is outside of the scope of their practice, they will notify your employer or insurer, and you will get a new list of TUSD-ATHENS MPN doctors or specialists so you can make another selection.

If you get a second opinion, and still disagree with your doctor, you may ask for a third opinion.

If you wish to get a **third opinion**, you must contact the person from your employer or insurer listed above and tell them you wish to get a third opinion. They will make sure you have a list of MPN doctors to choose from. Then you may choose a doctor from TUSD-ATHENS MPN Network and make an appointment within 60 days. You must tell the person listed above of your appointment date.

If you do not make an appointment within 60 days, you may no longer get a third opinion. If the third opinion doctor feels that your injury is outside of the scope of their practice, they will notify your employer or insurer and you will get a new list of TUSD-ATHENS MPN doctors or specialists so you can make another selection.

A copy of the written report from a second or third treating physician shall be provided to you, your treating doctor, and the contact person, within 20 days of the date of the appointment or receipt of the results of the diagnostic tests, whichever is later. If you get a third opinion, and still disagree with your doctor, you may ask for an **Independent Medical Review (IMR)**. Your employer or insurer contact person will give you information about requesting an Independent Medical Review and a form at the time you request a third opinion.

As long as your second opinion, third opinion or Independent Medical Reviewer agrees with the treating doctor, you will continue to receive your medical treatment with doctors in TUSD-ATHENS MPN network. If the Independent Medical Reviewer does not agree with your treating doctor, you may seek that medical treatment from either inside or outside TUSD-ATHENS MPN. If you receive treatment outside the MPN, it can only be for the treatment or diagnostic service recommended by the Independent Medical Reviewer.

Once this treatment is completed, you will receive all other treatment with a doctor of your choice within the MPN Network.



New Health Insurance Marketplace Coverage Options and Your Health Coverage

Form Approved
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PART A: General Information

When key parts of the health care law take effect in 2014, there will be a new way to buy health insurance: the Health Insurance Marketplace. To assist you as you evaluate options for you and your family, this notice provides some basic information about the new Marketplace and employment-based health coverage offered by your employer.

What is the Health Insurance Marketplace?

The Marketplace is designed to help you find health insurance that meets your needs and fits your budget. The Marketplace offers "one-stop shopping" to find and compare private health insurance options. You may also be eligible for a new kind of tax credit that lowers your monthly premium right away. Open enrollment for health insurance coverage through the Marketplace begins in October 2013 for coverage starting as early as January 1, 2014.

Can I Save Money on my Health Insurance Premiums in the Marketplace?

You may qualify to save money and lower your monthly premium, but only if your employer does not offer coverage, or offers coverage that doesn't meet certain standards. The savings on your premium that you're eligible for depends on your household income.

Does Employer Health Coverage Affect Eligibility for Premium Savings through the Marketplace?

Yes. If you have an offer of health coverage from your employer that meets certain standards, you will not be eligible for a tax credit through the Marketplace and may wish to enroll in your employer's health plan. However, you may be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium, or a reduction in certain cost-sharing if your employer does not offer coverage to you at all or does not offer coverage that meets certain standards. If the cost of a plan from your employer that would cover you (and not any other members of your family) is more than 9.5% of your household income for the year, or if the coverage your employer provides does not meet the "minimum value" standard set by the Affordable Care Act, you may be eligible for a tax credit.¹

Note: If you purchase a health plan through the Marketplace instead of accepting health coverage offered by your employer, then you may lose the employer contribution (if any) to the employer-offered coverage. Also, this employer contribution—as well as your employee contribution to employer-offered coverage—is often excluded from income for Federal and State income tax purposes. Your payments for coverage through the Marketplace are made on an after-tax basis.

How Can I Get More Information?

For more information about your coverage offered by your employer, please check your summary plan description or contact Wendy Dever 714-730-7301 x51347.

The Marketplace can help you evaluate your coverage options, including your eligibility for coverage through the Marketplace and its cost. Please visit HealthCare.gov for more information, including an online application for health insurance coverage and contact information for a Health Insurance Marketplace in your area.

¹ An employer-sponsored health plan meets the "minimum value standard" if the plan's share of the total allowed benefit costs covered by the plan is no less than 60 percent of such costs.



Registering for the New Employee Information System (EIS)

Before beginning, make sure you have the following information available:

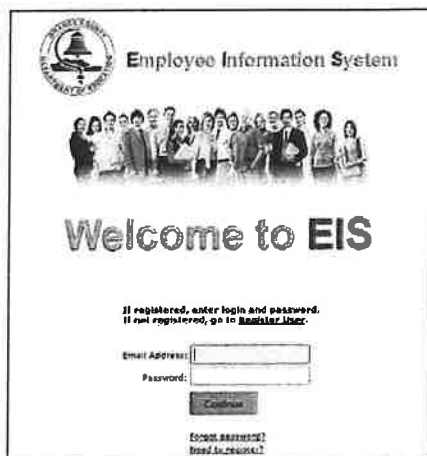
- Employee ID
- Last 4 digits of your Social Security Number
- Date of Birth
- Valid Email Address*

**If you don't have an email address, use the directions at the end of this guide to create one for free*

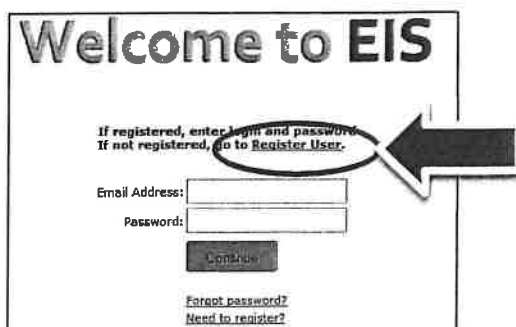
Let's get started!

1. Open a web browser and go to the following address:

<https://employee.ocde.us>



2. Once the welcome screen comes up, click the **Register User** link (as shown below).





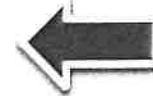
6. Enter your Employee ID, the Last 4 Digits of your Social Security Number, and your Date of Birth in the spaces provided under the Identity section (shown below).

Identity

Employee ID:

Last 4 Digits of SSN:

Date of Birth: [Month] [Day] [Year]



7. In the Log-In section, enter your Email address and your Password in the spaces provided under the Log-In section. Enter the same Email Address and Password to confirm this information in the spaces provided (shown below).

Log-In

Email Address:

Confirm Email Address:

Password:

Confirm Password:

Password Criteria

- No spaces, apostrophes, or commas
- 8 characters minimum
- Please use 3 of the following 4 criteria:
 - Number
 - Special character (i.e. ! @ # \$ % & *)
 - Upper case
 - Lower case



**Make sure your password meets the criteria listed.*

8. Select three secret questions and enter answers to each in the spaces provided under the Secret Questions section (shown below).

Secret Questions

Secret Question 1: [SELECT] (required)

Answer 1:

Secret Question 2: [SELECT] (required)

Answer 2:

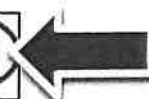
Secret Question 3: [SELECT] (required)

Answer 3:



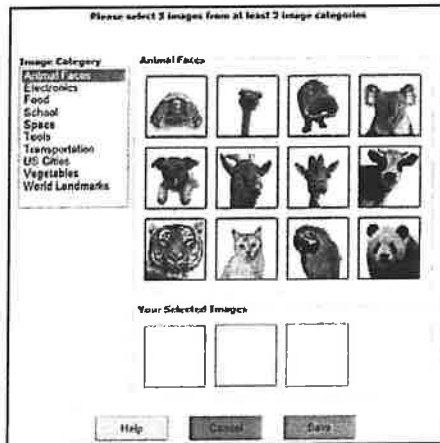
**Make sure you select questions and answers you will remember*

9. Once all three sections are complete, click the great **Continue** button (as shown below).

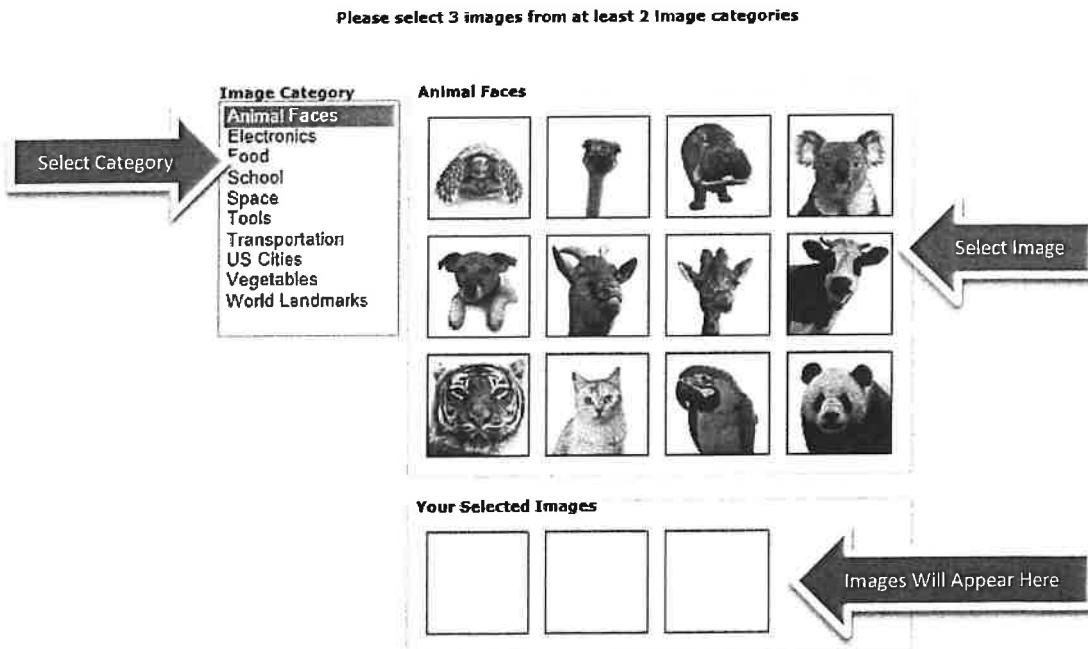




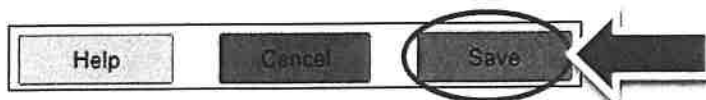
10. Next, the security image screen will display.



11. Select 3 images from any of the Image Categories listed. You may choose only 2 from the same category.



12. After selecting your images, click the green **Save** button (as shown below).

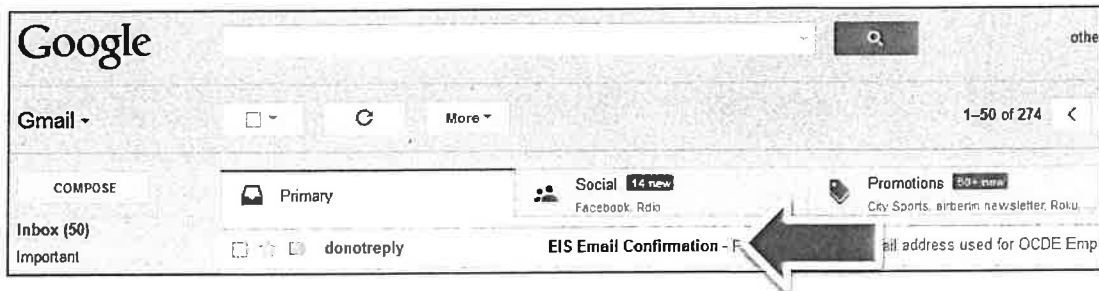




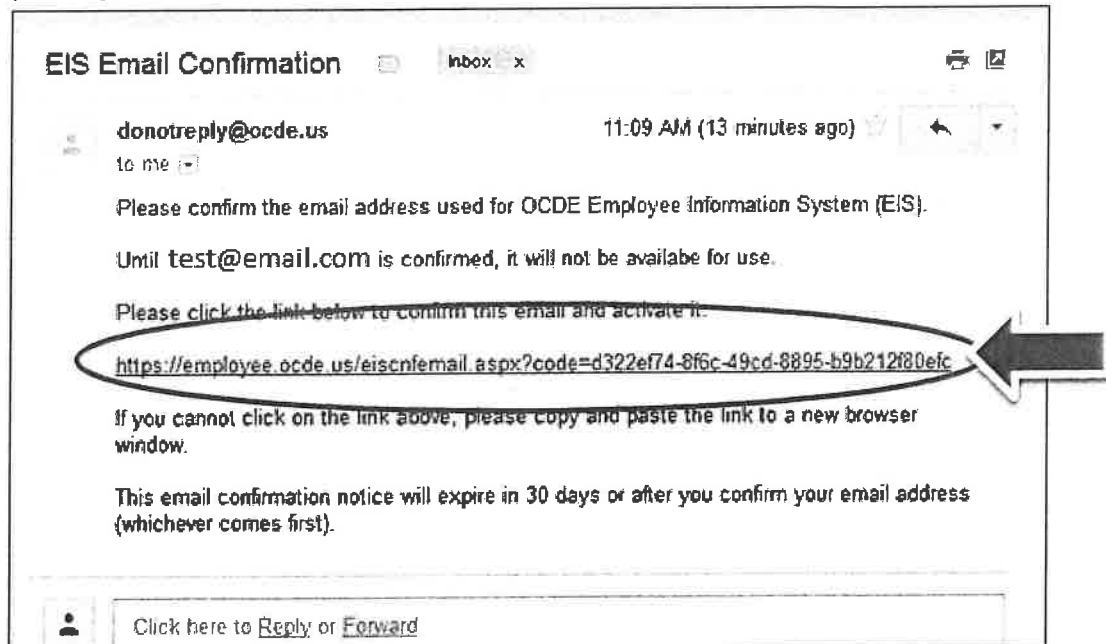
- Next, you will receive a message indicating that you need to access your email to complete registration.

**A confirmation email has been sent to the address provided.
Please check your email shortly for instructions on how to confirm this email address.**

- Log into your email account and find an email with the subject "EIS Email Confirmation" (as shown below).

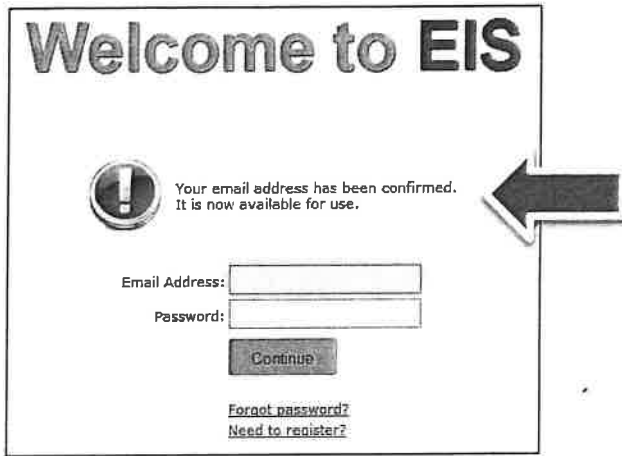


- Click to open the EIS Confirmation Email, then click the link provided in the email to confirm your registration (as shown below).





16. Next, you will be taken back to the EIS Welcome screen with a message indicating that your account has been confirmed (shown below).



17. Congratulations, you have successfully registered for the new Employee Information System!
18. Use your Email Address and Password to log into the new system!



What if you don't have an email address?

In order to utilize the new Employee Information System (EIS) you will need to have a valid email account. If you do not currently have an email account, there are many websites which offer free email access. Three commonly used services are Google (Gmail), Yahoo, and MSN.

Use one of these links to create an email account with Gmail, Yahoo, or MSN:

- To create a Gmail account, go to this address:
<https://accounts.google.com/SignUp?service=mail>
- To create a Yahoo email account, go to this address:
https://login.yahoo.com/config/login_verify2?&.src=ym&.intl=us (click "Create New Account")
- To create a MSN email account, go to this address:
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